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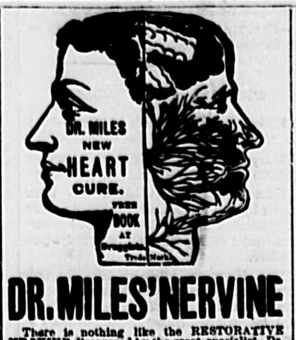

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It shone on all with kindliest caress.
Welcome was it to sons of Bethlehem—
Soon to the race of each fair clime again.
At early morn, a wondrous holy gleam,
A harbinger of peace and harmony supreme.

And still it points us to the heavenly way,
By purpose pure to make sublime the day:
Another year inclines to long repose,
Regretfully the Old Year lingers ere its close,
The New Year trembles, flushed with ardent fire,
Crowned with a starlit glory, and a sweet desire,
To bring to all content, that strife may cease,
And pour upon our hearts a blissful peace.

A. M. C.

Dec. 26, 1891.

For the Gazette.

MARGUERY'S LETTER.

BOSTON, Dec. 31, 1891.

In spite of the fact that all the world has been busy with preparations for the great Feast of the Nativity, the "tea" season is in full blast and one has cards galore.

Each season notes some new attempt of the hostess to offer something more in the way of entertainment than the cup which cheers, or the mere desultory gossip and chatter of the day. Recently I attended a very pleasant affair at the studios of Mr. and Mrs. Jean Paul Selinger. I believe I have, before this, described the charming apartments of this gifted pair to you, with their quaint decorations and superb paintings. Mrs. Selinger's cards are always received with delight, not only for the artistic atmosphere that pervades her surroundings, but because she offers something choice and out of the ordinary course to her friends. On this day it was a monologue of her own composition called "Amaranth Holdin's account of the Revival Meetin's at Battey's Corner Baptis' Meetin' House." Mrs. Selinger, as you all know, is a very graceful poet as well as story writer, writes art articles for the Saturday Transcript, and while abroad sent very interesting letters to various journals, from the great art centres, as well as the by-ways and romantic nooks wherein artists love to dwell.

In passing, let me tell you that I was honored by a private hearing of a little dialect poem Mrs. Selinger has just written for her own use,—for she sometimes recites for her friends. It is called "How the cat found Kizzie," and while full of humor has a touch of pathos which cannot fail to appeal to every heart. I think it will be published later, and if so there is a treat in store for you.

I believe the *Monologue* is a step in a new direction, and surely a most successful one, for the little play is filled with bright and witty sayings, while the delineation of New England characters is remarkably apt and realistic.

Not less remarkable was the impersonation of Mr. S. Homer Eaton, from the Emerson School of Oratory, who was very, very amusing as the old maid, Amaranth Holdin, and whose rapid changes of face and voice as he passed from one character to another was a constant delight to his hearers.

Mr. Eaton is a young man with regular features, and so his make up is all the more noticeable. He assumes all the airs and graces peculiar to the ancient, anxious but not aimless maiden, and while very laughable, he never oversteps the bounds and descends below pure humor as is too apt to be the case. Mr. Eaton is the fortunate possessor of a pure, double voice, singing with great ease both soprano and baritone. He has a very taking prima donna specialty as well as other humorous selections. He can give a whole evening's entertainment, or will fill in at concerts, and is sure to attract large audiences.

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The County Fair still holds its own on the boards of the Park Theatre and no doubt will continue to do so while it remains here. For people from all over New England plan to see it once at least, while those in the vicinity of Boston "take it in" a half a dozen times and still laugh and admire.

I met "Tags" (Miss Annie Blancke) when the season first opened, and was delighted with her. She is just as bright and quick off, as on the stage, while her petite figure seems brimful of life and energy. Her wealth of Titian hair is all her very own, and not a wig as people are so fond of saying. Tags is an enthusiast in her profession, but believes in pure, simple and healthy plays, and does not think the hideous ulcers that poison society should be uncovered for the amusement of an unthinking public. She feels that the stage can elevate and instruct through the medium of plays like the County Fair, Old Homestead, and others of that kind, rather than by showing up a social evil by such works as Ibsen's or the play of Margeret Fleming, which has just been so unmercifully scored by the New York critics.

Social evils, she thinks, should be left to the study of mature minds, scientists, political economists and preachers, I suppose, and not be displayed to innocent playgoers seeking for amusement. And I must say I am a good deal of her opinion; for while we old folks can't be injured perhaps by such realistic dramas, there is always the danger that some young boy or girl in the audience may be introduced to features of society of which they never dreamed. We are rather careless in this country in that respect, and might learn a lesson from the French who never take a young girl to see a play which has even the slightest allusion to anything incorrect. 'Tis said the daughter of Offenbach never heard one of his operas until after her marriage. Which, by the way, reminds me of a story I heard. A young Bostonian, who had been brought up rather Puritanically, was taken to see Orphee, which had been brought out at one of the Paris opera houses in immense style, the orchestra conducted by the composer himself.

If you are familiar with the opera, you may remember that in his journeyings through the infernal regions Orphee, of course, meets a good many spirits, gods and goddesses; which gives a chance for a fine display by the corps de ballet.

The next day our little Puritan was called upon by a French woman, who, in the midst of a tirade against her dressmaker who had disappointed her asked, "and how did you like the opera?"

"Oh!" said little Boston, "the music was very bright and lively, but really, you know, the ballet girls were quite shocking there was *such* a display of the human form divine!"

"My child," replied the Parisienne, "don't think of them as *girls*, but as goddesses, sporting in Elysian Fields, where they are not bothered with dressmakers."

And in remembering this, I must say it all turns on the point of view, of which we hear so much now-a-days.

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The season of old comedies opened very auspiciously at the Museum on Monday evening, with The Road to Ruin which will hold the stage until Saturday evening when Miss Annie Clark offers The School for Scandal for her benefit.

For the week beginning Jan. 4 Masks and Faces is underlined.

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These comedies are rare chances for studies in English literature, and give a better idea of the dress and manners of a past age, than could be gathered from any number of books. With all this, they also amuse, and crowded houses are the rule.

MARGUERY.

Class Reunion.

The residence of Maj. Pierce on Saturday evening last was the trysting place of an exceedingly interesting party of friends, met there by invitation of his talented daughter, Miss Kate F. Pierce, graduate of and teacher in the Boston Normal Art school.

The occasion was the Fourth Annual Reunion of the Class of '88, North High school, of which Miss Pierce is a member. From far and near the former pupils with their wives (?) and husbands (a fact) gathered to greet their former teachers, Mr. Frank H. Beede and Mr. Albert Bradford, and to revive the memories of the years '84-'88.

A sharp rain storm dampened not their ardors in the least but all braved the storm and evinced an intention of making the fourth reunion the most successful one ever held.

The first hour of the evening was quickly consumed in hand shaking and a rapid fire of cross questioning and in inspecting and admiring the many evidences at hand of the artistic skill of the charming hostess.

It being the custom of the class to have some sort of a game at the reunions, the committee in charge, Misses Alice Egan and Agnes Bates and Mr. Myron Ford, initiated the class into the mysteries of a "Quotation Party." For the benefit of those who have not played the game as well as those who wish to know more conclusively than they now do how sadly misplaced are familiar quotations, especially when demanded unawares, the details of the game are appended.

Orders, very beautifully decorated by Mr. Myron W. Ford of East Weymouth, a graduate of the Lowell School of Design, were provided as needful accessories of the game and as valuable souvenirs of the Reunion. A set of slips of paper, each being numbered and bearing a different quotation, was circulated and each number was entered on everyone's order with his or her guess as to who was the author of the quotation. When all had been guessed on the orders were exchanged and corrected by the one in charge. The result was rather significant as well as surprising for only a few succeeded in getting more than half of them correct. Miss Susie B. Litchfield, of East Weymouth, was especially successful and received the first prize, a finely bound volume of "Familiar Quotations."

The company then seated themselves in the spacious dining-room and a merry hour was spent over a most delicious treat. The calling of the roll and a small amount of business completed the enjoyments of the evening and terminated the most successful reunion yet held by the class.

To those interested in the North High school and in the young women and young men who are annually graduated from its doors, a few facts about the class of '88 may not be amiss. In the fall, after graduation, four of the young ladies entered upon responsible positions as teachers in the public schools; two of the young men entered Tufts College, another entered Harvard, another entered Boston University, and another entered the Lowell School of Design. At the next reunion, seven of the young ladies were teaching school and others of the class had entered upon successful careers in other pursuits. The occasion of the third reunion found nine of the young ladies holding teacher's positions. The reunion just held brought together nine young lady teachers, all holding enviable positions, while the young men presented a graduate from the Lowell School of Design, before referred to, who is now holding a first class position in a Boston designing house; and a graduate from the Boston University, Frank N. Bemis, who holds a position on the Boston Journal; John H. Ash who is to graduate from Harvard in '92, and A. Everett Peterson, who is to graduate with honors from Tufts College the coming spring.

All honor to the dear old high school and to the teachers who worked for four years for these results.

Death of Mrs. Hill.

On Monday evening, the 21st, Mrs. Ira W. Hill breathed her last at the residence of Mr. Charles T. Crane in Washington Square. Her home was in South Boston, but she had been in Weymouth under the care of her niece, Mrs. Crane, for some five months. She was in her 67th year and leaves a husband to mourn her loss. A brief service of scripture and prayer was conducted at Mr. Crane's house on Thursday morning by Rev. Oliver Huckel of the Union Church; a fuller service was conducted in the afternoon at the mortuary chapel of Mount Auburn by Rev. E. A. George, rector of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, South Boston, and Rev. Mr. Rand a former pastor of Mrs. Hill.

The following lines written by Whittier, and read at the service in Weymouth, are regarded by all Mrs. Hill's friends as wonderfully appropriate to her beautiful life of kindly deeds and patient suffering.

How still and quiet life flowed on
  As meadow streamlets flow,
Where fresher green reveals alone
  The noiseless ways they go.

Her path shall brighten more and more
  Unto the perfect day;
She cannot fail of peace who bore
  Such peace with her away.

O sweet, calm face, that seemed to wear
  The look of sins forgiven;
O voice of prayer, that seemed to bear
  Our own needs up to heaven.

How reverent in our midst she stood
  Or knelt in grateful praise:
What grace of Christian womanhood
  Was in her household ways.

For still her holy living meant
  No duty left undone;
The heavenly and the human blent
  Their kindred loves in one.

She kept her line of rectitude
  With love's unconscious ease:
Her kindly instincts understood
  All gentle courtesies.

The dear Lord's best interpreters
  Are humble human souls;
The Gospel of a life like her's
  Is more than books or scrolls.

From scheme and creed the light goes out,
  The saintly fact survives;
The blessed Master none can doubt,
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Beyond Town Limits.

—Dedham claims to have more pretty girls to the square rod than any town in the State.

—The Dukes County Street Railway has perfected its organization with a capital stock of $200,000. The projected road will run from Cottage City to Gay Head, a distance of twenty-five miles. When completed, it will be the longest electric road in the United States; being 24 miles, 7 furlongs, 39 rods, 16 feet, and 6 inches longer than the one in Weymouth.

—The agent for the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals at Nantucket is burdened with the question of what to do with the large number of cats which were carried there and abandoned by summer boarders.

—The famous Willard school building in Quincy has been closed four times this winter during school days because it could not be heated above 40 degrees.

—Mr. Aldrich, the retiring superintendent of a school in Quincy, will take to his new home a valuable silver tea service presented by the teachers of Quincy last week.

—The burning of Hotel Wellesley, Newton Lower Fall last week is said to have afforded a brilliant spectacle; but it was too expensive a pleasure to be indulged in often, the loss being $200,000.

—There were more deaths recorded in Dorchester last week than ever before in its history.

—A year ago a well-to-do Haverhill woman began the collection of cancelled postage stamps as a pastime; she now has over a million.

—The School Committee of Quincy have decided to employ a superintendent of schools at a salary of $2,200, who shall devote his time exclusively to the schools of Quincy instead of dividing his time between Quincy and Milton as was the case with the superintendent who recently resigned. The report of the committee further suggests that Mr. Lull, principal of the high school, be elected as superintendent.

—A committee of ten from the Business Club of North Abington are working with the selectmen formulating a list of appropriations for next year with a view of reducing taxes.

—Three years ago the Social Science Club of Newton began grappling with the industrial education question and opened a small school where cooking, sewing, carpentry, and painting were taught. The enterprise has been a successful one and good results have been obtained.

—The eel fishery, which is now about over, has been unusually good this season at Plymouth, about twenty-five tons having been shipped from that town.

—Returns from all the towns from Middleboro to Provincetown make the Cape Cod cranberry crop for this year 134,324 barrels against 89,889 barrels last year. Eight years ago for the same territory there were but 32,000 barrels raised.

—Rev. Frank A. Warfield, pastor of the Porter church, Brockton, has had a call to settle over a leading church in Nebraska.

—The number of passengers carried on the Plymouth and Kingston street railway for the year ending June 8, 1891, was 540,000, which shows that if given an opportunity, people will patronize this cheap and convenient means of travel.

—The Norfolk County Gazette says there is no town in the state which has so much to show in the way of town improvements for the money expended as Hyde Park.

—Hingham is to make an effort to have its harbor what it was in the good old days when from fifty to seventy sail of fishing craft were fitted out at its wharves, and a largely signed petition will soon be presented at Congress for the improvement of that harbor.

—The value of the ships in process of building in the yards of William Cramp & Son, Philadelphia, is $14,400,000.

—A monument to Col. Shaw, the leader of the colored troops at Fort Wagner, is to be erected on Boston Common directly opposite the State House. It will mark the spot from whence the gallant soldier started for the front.

—A horse belonging to the West End R. R. in Boston died on Sunday which is said to have been 42 years old, and to have travelled 125,000 miles.

At Rest.

Another well rounded life was closed by the death of Mrs. Joshua Holbrook, who quietly passed away at the residence of her niece, Mrs. W. T. Rice, which of late has been her home, at the very hour which marked the anniversary of the birth of the Child at Bethlehem.

Mrs. Holbrook had reached the advanced age of 87 years and 7 months. She was the oldest of five children of Charles Bates, the only survivor of the family now being Mr. F. B. Bates of Middle street.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the residence of Mr. W. T. Rice. Rev. Mr. Chapin, the former pastor of the deceased at North Weymouth, officiating.

The Choristic Club furnished music for the occasion, their selections being "After" by Stebbins, and "Come Unto Me" by C. H. Bailey.

Joshua Vinal, F. H. Cushing, Stephen F. Tirrell and William Farmer acted as bearers, and the remains were conveyed to the cemetery at North Weymouth.

Merry Nuptials.

A large party gathered at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Goodman on Christmas night, the attraction being the marriage reception of their daughter, Winifred, and Mr. Jeremiah Coffey of East Weymouth.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Murphy at the parochial residence. Miss Lizzie Goodman acting as bridesmaid and Mr. Thomas Coffey as groomsman.

Both bride and bridesmaid were attired in becoming cloth costumes of dark wine color, with Faille Francoise trimmings.

After refreshments were served, singing, dancing and games were indulged in until a late hour, when the newly married pair went directly to their home on Commercial street, East Weymouth. Mr. and Mrs. Coffey received many useful and valuable presents.

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A Happy New Year to all friends and patrons is the wish of the Gazette.

In reviewing the past and planning for the future, as is the custom with the advent of the new year, let us not forget the local public needs, but turn with renewed vigor and hope to the work of improvement and make fresh endeavors to secure new business for our town, and also new residents.

Congressman Morse says that about the only things left of the interstate commerce law are the commissioners' salaries of $7,500 each.

The commissioners have suspended operation, and goods for a long time have been shipped to Chicago, St. Louis and other western points at less rates than to Albany and Buffalo.

George Fred Williams is on the committee on Coinage, Weights and Measures. As colleagues on the committee he has for chairman a radical Free Coinage member and a majority of the committee are of the same way of thinking. The hero of the investigating committee will now have a chance to show his nerve if he cares for the coinage views of his constituents.

It will be rather "Chili" weather for the little South American state if the United States really gets her back up in earnest. A war between Chili and Massachusetts would be pretty nearly equal as regards population, or the city of New York alone would be a fair antagonist for her. War is out of the question. It is beneath the dignity of this great peaceful country to put on the gloves with little baby Chili.

As an instance of the rapidly growing independence in politics on the part of individuals we repeat a remark recently made by a life-long strict party man. He said: "If I don't go to the caucusses I can vote as I want to and it is nobody's business."

This is a step in advance of the blind allegience to party shown by the masses, but is it not going too far? As long as the candidates are chosen by caucusses it is necessary for voters to attend them. If the best men stay away from the caucusses of all parties they may find no candidates on the ticket worthy of being voted for.

Singular Loop Hole.

In July last, George Nogle, of Dedham, murdered his wife by chopping her to pieces with an axe.

While in the jail awaiting the action of the grand jury, two skilled physicians decided that he was insane from drink at the time of the killing, and by order of Judge Sherman he was committed to the Taunton insane asylum.

Experts say that he is now sane and can no longer be confined, and the question among lawyers is, can he be again arrested?

It would appear to the ordinary mind that the interests of the safety of human life demand a punishment for such forms of insanity.

The Old and the New.

The Year of Our Lord, 1891, has gone to join the many hundreds which have come and gone before it and when summed up it will compare favorably with its many predecessors.

Speaking in generalities, it gave to this country more than any year of the past in results for the labor of the husbandman. Beginning with the ice crop in the winter and following through the various seasons, all crops were exceptionally good. On the other hand, in many of the mechanical industries, the times have hardly been what was expected or even up to the average, which fact affords political economists and philosophers a matter for study, as heretofore good times in the field have been harbingers of prosperous times in the shop.

Politically the year has been freighted with more than the usual interest for an "off year" and has brought more than the usual amount of surprises.

Morally and socially it has been a remarkable year, having been marked by some of the most atrocious crimes recorded in history. But there is an offset to this in the larger acts of Christian Charity and the increase of efforts for human uplifting. On the whole, it was a fair average year, and we say good bye to it with regret as we turn with hope in our hearts to 1892.

New Railroad Schedule takes effect next Monday.

The Old Colony railroad changes its time table, on next Monday, back to the old arrangement of trains which was in force previous to June last. The managers have given the new arrangement a fair trial and it has been found to be impossible, with the present facilities, for the road to handle with safety and regularity so many trains. The terminal facilities at Boston have been proved to be entirely inadequate to the emptying of the incoming and the making-up and loading of the outgoing trains. The road has been found, also, to possess an insufficiency of cars and engines for so liberal a service.

With commendable regard for the safety of its patrons the officials of the railroad have had the courage to own up to their mistake and announce the return to the old schedule, in the face of the criticism and fault-finding that such a course will certainly ensure.

We may safely predict, however, that attempts will soon be made again in the direction of an increased service, and meanwhile new cars and engines will be constructed and every preparation carefully made that the light of the last six months' experience has shown to be necessary. The new time table is printed in this paper.

Rapid Transit Set-Back.

The announcement of the Old Colony Railroad that on Jan. 4th, (next Monday) a return will be made to the old schedule of trains is the cause of much adverse comment by the citizens of this town. It is claimed, that however necessary it may be to reduce the number of trains on the road on account of limited facilities, that those of the South Shore should not be reduced. The South Shore is one of the best,—if not *the* best,—paying sections of the entire Old Colony system and it has a service far below most of the other parts.

Taking Weymouth for an illustration and comparing it with Dedham, on the Providence Division of the Old Colony, we have an example of the wide difference in the train accommodations between our town and others the same distance from Boston. Dedham has a grand service of 73 trains daily to and from Boston—all over the Providence Division,— in contrast to which Weymouth has (or will have) only 23. Dedham is but 1 mile nearer Boston than Weymouth, but 5-trip tickets are 75 cents, while from Weymouth they are $1.10, a difference of 35 cents for the one extra mile. Weymouth has 11,000 population and Dedham 7000. Comments on these facts are unnecessary. But they show conclusively that it is useless to attempt to boom Weymouth as a residential town for Boston business men, until she stands on an even plane with her competitors in the matter of rapid transit and cheap fares.

The feeling here is that the South Shore trains should be increased rather than reduced, and that our expresses from Braintree should be continued that our people may not be subjected to the annoyance of the stops between Braintree and Boston. It is probable that efforts will be made to induce the Old Colony officials to look with more liberal eyes upon the long-discriminated-against South Shore, by either heavily signed petitions or public meetings.

A Happy New Year.

The following charming New Year's wish was recently written by one of our young ladies who is devoted to French:—

Un heureux, joyeux nouvel an,
Beaucoup de grandes plaisirs
Pour vous, beaucoup des amis vrais,
Toujours les je desire.

Donc aurevoir mes chers amis
Souvent français parlez!
Et aussitôt je vous verrai
A Weymouth près l'infinité.

Bicycle Club's Proposition.

At a special meeting of the Norfolk Bicycle Club Monday evening it was voted to lease for one year two rooms in the Fogg Building. These rooms are entered at the rear of the Post Office, and will be furnished with a convenient doorway. The plan is to throw open the upper room to the public *five* evenings of the week for a *free* Reading-room if — The basement will be fitted up for some sort of a gymnasium for athletic sports.

The Club realized about $150 from the recent minstrel show, and that will just about pay the rent of the above mentioned rooms, and partly furnish the lower one. The "if" as above, carries with it a proposition.

The idea of a free Reading-room in South Weymouth has many times been suggested, and not a few have expressed themselves willing to assist such an enterprise. The opportunity has now arrived, and the Wheel Club offers to forward opportunity a bit by presenting the room to the public five nights in the week (reserving it only one night), provided the said public will help a little in putting the place in presentable shape for a Reading-room, and providing it with the proper literature, etc.

The proposed room is an excellent one, well situated, and eminently suited for the purpose.

Obituary.—Enos B. Raymond.

Seldom is the pen called upon to record the death of one who has been so long a sufferer as Enos D. Raymond, whose earthly trials ended just before midnight on the 24th of the month just closed.

Mr. Raymond was born in Middleboro, Dec. 30, 1811, and would consequently have completed his four score of years, had he survived but a few days more. He came to Weymouth about the year 1828 and engaged in the packet and boating business between East Weymouth and Boston; but subsequently changed from water to land, and was one of the pioneers in the baggage lines which ante-dated railroads and expresses. The advent of the railroads, and his suffering from asthma compelled him to abandon the baggage business and he turned his attention to farming, more especially to fruit raising, in which occupation there was hardly a greater expert in Norfolk and Plymouth counties. For several years, however, owing to constant suffering from the above named disease he has been unable to take an active interest in his pet trees and fruits. He was an ardent worker in whatever appealed to his sense of right and a strong opponent of wrong and oppression. He early united with the Congregational church and for many years was one of its most constant attendants.

Dec. 11, 1840, he married Mary Jane, daughter of Bela Pratt, with whom he spent more than half a century of wedded life, and who with six children, four daughters and two sons, survive him.

Silva—Merchant.

The home of R. V. Merchant, Jackson Square, East Weymouth, was the scene of a very pretty wedding Tuesday night. The occasion being the marriage of Miss Fannie I. Merchant, only daughter of R. V., to Mr. John A. Silva of Boston.

Rev. A. A. Kidder of the M. E. Church performed the ceremony.

Miss Mylie Young of Newport was bridesmaid and Charles McKanna of Boston acted as best man.

The bride was charmingly attired in heliotrope lansdown, trimmed with white chiffon.

The ushers were Chas. E. Merchant, Clayton E. Merchant, and E. E. Merchant. Master Robbie Burbank acted as page.

The newly wedded pair will make their home at No. 3 Cheney street, Roxbury.

Christmas at Trinity Church.

Trinity Church, Weymouth, was very beautifully decorated last week for the Christmas season. The audience room was festooned with evergreen and holly, special decorations ornamented the organ, desk and pulpit, on the altar was a pure white cross.

In front of the chancel stood the Christmas tree loaded with presents for the Sunday-school making it all a most pleasing sight. On Christmas Eve was held the Sunday-school festival, at which three children were baptized, and in spite of the stormy weather it was well attended.

The service was very appropriate to the occasion and the music most pleasing, especially the "Christmas Story" by the infant class and the "Christ Child" as sung by Alice Traylor.

Addresses were made by the rector and superintendent and recitations given by the children.

Christmas Day was observed by services in the morning and the administration of Holy Communion.

The Ladies' Orchestra and Brooks.

The attraction of the Institute Course next Friday evening is the Fadette Ladies' orchestra of thirteen pieces, the finest ladies orchestra in Boston, and Mr. Fred Emerson Brooks, the prince of entertainers. Mr. Brooks is a California poet of eccentric and attractive genius with a rich humor, and the orchestra itself has a repertoire of unique and varied attractions.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Why We Are Late.

The Gazette will reach our readers several hours late to-day. Reason, lateness of correspondents in sending copy. Our copy drawer this morning contained enough manuscript to keep ten men busy for the whole day. We have cut it down, thrown it out, and then have cut it down again and again but are late after all, and besides, much valuable matter is lost to our readers because it was not sent in earlier. It will be a favor to the editors if everyone will try and get his copy in as early as possible hereafter.

BOSTON THEATRES

Hollis Street Theatre.

John C. Rice and his clever company of comedians will begin a week's engagement at the Hollison Monday, in his late New York farce-comedy success, "A Knotty Affair."

The will be Mr. Rice's first appearance here as an individual star, and it will be watched with no little interest. He comes with the indorsement of the Eastern press and public, and with a piece that is said to possess the merit of a plot. Its story deals with the adventures of a country editor, and the complications are the result of a reckless change of names on the part of two men, who adopt the same course to avoid impending difficulties.

The company supporting Mr. Rice in "A Knotty Affair" is one of exceptional strength, and contains, among others, such people as Charles J. Ross, Richard J. Jones, George W. Barnum, Jos. J. Rilly, Frank A. Guard, Miss Sallie Cohen, Miss Kate Toneray, Miss Mabel Fenton and Little Bessie Clayton.

The action of the first part of "A Knotty Affair," occurs in the office of the Boomville Vindicator; the second act in the Sunset Flats, New York; while the third act shows a Kirmiss. It affords abundant opportunity for the introduction of novelties and this is taken advantage of by the company. Mr. Rice's inimitable dancing, Little Bessie Clayton, the burlesque scene from "Antony and Cleopatra," and the song and dance. "Love, I will be true" are among the stronger features which will make "A Knotty Affair" popular with amusement seekers; and caused to be said of it, that it has made a lasting hit, and will go down on the records of fun as an apt aid to merriment and a happy motive for the creation of endless and hearty laughter.

Columbia Theatre.

The long looked-for production of the greatest theatrical success of the New York season, "A Lost Paradise," will take place at the Columbia Theatre next Monday. The piece is an adaptation from the German by Henry C. DeMille. It is to Ludwig Fulda to whom Mr. De Mille is indebted for the original suggestion. Whatever resemblance there is to the German play, however, is contained in the second act, where the factory hands enter upon a strike. In this scene the question of political economy relative to employer and employees is discussed in a very graphic and dramatic manner, and upon this all the varied discussion in regard to Mr. De Mille's authorship rests. In the German author's play the relation of capital and labor is the main subject discussed; it is a philosophical disquisition of the labor question. In Mr. De Mille's American play this topic is merely a groundwork upon which the very interesting love affair of a wealthy young girl and a young inventor are based; in fact, love is the theme of the American story.

One of the striking situations of the play is where the poor workman confronts the rich manufacturer, who pleads against the striking for his lovely daughter's sake, with his own poorly clad impovished working girl as a reason why the rich men should bear in mind the workmen's children as well as his own flesh and blood. All the characters in the play are distinctively American, as is the locality of the action, the vicinity of Boston.

The piece possesses an undercurrent of comedy that is entirely original, and appeals strongly to all classes of theatre goers, not only on account of its brightness and delicate flavor, but because it harmonizes peculiar elements of American country and city life.

The company cast for the Boston production includes Carrie Turner of "Niobe" fame, Mme. Ponisi, W. H. Crompton, J. E. Kellard, Mary Hampton, Walter Perkins, Maude White, Harry Mills, Elaine Ellison, Howard Hansel, Miss Willington and others. The scenic sets will be exact reproductions of the original in New York at the Twenty-third Street Theatre, where the play has entered its second month.

Park Theatre, "County Fair."

"A happy New Year and more power to Cold Molasses." Such was the hearty expression of Good Will from all who attended the 123 performance of the "County Fair" New Year's Night at the Park Theatre, 1892 opens most auspiciously for Mr. Burgess, his gathering of artists and the management of the Park Theatre, which had the wisdom and courage to book this charming story of New England life for a season's run. Now entering upon its 19th week, the "County Fair" not only holds its own with remarkably strong competition, but the advance sale still continues as steady and satisfactory from the box office standpoint as in the earlier weeks of the phenominal run. Occasionally either cold Molasses or his jockey may be hard pressed in the exciting race scene, but they always get there and it is evident that all New England will get there, that is to see, the "County Fair" before the Park Theatre closes its doors next summer.

Christmas Tree.

The Christmas Tree Festival of the First Universalist Sunday-school was held in Lincoln hall on Christmas eve. In spite of the rain there was a good attendance. The little folks were out in numbers and enjoyed to the utmost the fine entertainment which had been provided for them. The Christmas tree with its tempting fruit was the centre of attraction though its heavy laden boughs did not yield their fruit 'till the following musical and literary feast had been disposed of. Song, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Raymond; reading, Little Edith; song, Mr. Raymond; song, Little Edith; reading, Alice Peterson; song, Mr. Raymond; reading, Carrie Croker; song, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond; farce, "Christmas Eve under the Mistletoe Bough." The several parts were well rendered and heartily encored.

At the close of the formal exercises Santa Claus in the person of H. B. R. appeared in traditional costume and distributed the Christmas tree fruit to the happy children.

For internal cramps and external chills, Johnson's Anodyne Liniment excels anything in use.

Don't Get Left.

New arrangement of trains takes effect next Monday. See time table in this paper.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this receipt, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y. 13 1yr

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For the Gazette.

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Charity, whom I adjure
Calls me as awkward a boor
As Cruikshank's pencil e'er drew.
Ah, could I seem else near you
Queenly in face and contour!

Dense though its wit and obscure,
Punning I'll try as a lure.
"Say, should not love, dear, imbue
Charity?"

Quickly she answers, demure,
"Charity is, I am sure,
Love; love for all men!"
Quite true.
But it means almsgiving too,
Give me your arms then, if you'r
Charity!

THE CHATTERER.

BREVITIES

CHATS ABOUT MEN

Congressman William L. Wilson, of West Virginia, has been elected president of Richmond college by the trustees of that institution.

Sir Edwin Arnold says that the late Lord Lytton was the best after dinner speaker he ever heard, and superior to our own Dr. Depew at his best.

Thomas G. Hodgkins, who recently gave $200,000 to the Smithsonian institution, is eighty-eight years old and manages an extensive farm at Setauket, L. I.

Dr. Nelson, the recently elected bishop of Georgia, has a fad that interests him even more than his life work. The bishop is fond of wood carving, at which he has become expert.

Story, the sculptor, and Mr. Hooker, the banker, are among the most conspicuous Americans in Rome, the latter gentleman having lived in the Eternal City about forty years.

The veteran soldier, General Franz Sigel, is still greatly interested in art and artists, and may at times be seen examining the pictures and works of sculpture in the New York Metropolitan Museum of Art.

Zadkiel, the English planet reader, in his sixty-second annual almanac, just issued, has found a message somewhere in his stellar readings to the effect that in November of 1892 there will be "a death of an empress or a queen."

Henry T. Oxnard, who is doing so much to establish the beet sugar industry in Nebraska, where he has erected very extensive refineries, is a young man of thirty, eight years out of college. He is a little man physically, but full of vim and vigor.

Dr. Williams, a London physician, has a complete copy of the Bible written in shorthand characters. There are many curious copies of the Holy Writ in various collections, but it is doubtful if there is anything in the world that will compare with the doctor's unique work.

A copy of Jay Gould's maiden effort at authorship, the "History of Delaware County and Border Wars of New York," was recently sold at auction in Boston. Few copies of the work now exist, and the average price for which it sells is twenty-five dollars. It is a duodecimo volume, bound in muslin, and was published in 1856.

BEHIND THE SCENES.

Coquelin's salary is $14,000, and he appears at private entertainments in Paris at $100 an evening.

P. S. Gilmore, the band leader, nearly lost his life recently by being dragged sixty feet by a train of cars.

The ladies of the White House attended five out of the seven performances given in Washington recently by Richard Mansfield.

Anton Rubinstein, the Russian pianist, has accepted an offer of £25,000 for a series of fifty concerts, to be given in the United States in 1893.

The "Taming of the Shrew," under the title of "La Megere Apprivoisee," has been pronounced a great success at the Theatre Francais in Paris.

E. S. Willard, the best English actor who has visited America for many years, will return to London at the close of his present tour, in March, 1892, and resume his successful career as actor-manager.

John Ernest McCann, who is beginning to be as well known as a dramatic author as he is as a poet, has, with Ernest Jarrold ("Micky Finn"), recently published a clever little book called "Odds and Ends."

Oliver Wilson Doud, the actor who died not long ago in Baltimore, was thirty-seven years old. He had supported at various times Mary Anderson, Lawrence Barrett, Edwin Booth, Charlotte Cushman and J. K. Emmett.

The author's fees alone of a recent Drury Lane success were $4,000 a week, divided between Augustus Harris and Mr. Pettit. It is said that John Hare cleared $75,000 on "A Pair of Spectacles" when it had run 250 nights, and that Gilbert & Sullivan have cleared $5,000,000 in the last thirteen years.

RAILROAD JOTTINGS.

Edward Everett Hale favors the nationalization of the railroads of this country.

The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul is building its own freight cars and is turning out ten a day.

General Manager Barnard, of the Peoria and Eastern, has purchased ten miles of new heavy steel rails to be laid on the west end.

The Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway has decided to establish a dispensary at Denison, Tex., at once and may build a hospital later.

It is the purpose of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western to erect a new office building at the northern end of the Hoboken yard, on Ferry street.

It is probable that an eastern extention of the Baltimore and Harrisburg railroad will be built from Porter's siding, on the Baltimore and Harrisburg to York.

There are 30,000 locomotives in the United States, being one to every five miles of railroad, and 1,100,000 cars of all kinds, of which 27,000 are passenger coaches.

The East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia and the Queen and Crescent systems have amalgamated. Hundreds of clerks are thrown out of employment by the arrangement.

In the hot regions of Africa more than 2,000 laborers are engaged in building the Congo railroad, and in the cold regions of Siberia many thousands of Russians are employed in the construction of the transsiberian railroad.

The Alleghany Valley railroad was sold by the United States court at Pittsburg to P. A. B. Widener, of Philadelphia, representing the income bondholders the and Pennsylvania Railroad company, for $3,000,000, the purchaser assuming the debt of $26,000,000.

ODDS AND ENDS.

An Italian professor predicts that there will be no more blonds in a few centuries.

Within sixty-two years Mexico has had fifty-four presidents, one regency and one empire, and nearly every change of government has been effected by violence.

One of the curiosities of the recent census in Ireland is that whereas Christians of every name have decreased in number during the decade, the Jews have increased 281 per cent.

The passenger elevators at Weehawken, N. J., are the largest in the world. They can carry 6,000 passengers per hour. Each car holds 135 persons. The elevators are run by hydraulic power.

Weymouth Heights.

—Next Friday, Ladies' orchestra and Brooks, in the Institute Course.

—The Old North choir did themselves credit in the rendering of the following pieces at the Christmas service last Sunday. "The Advent," Mrs. Abbie P. Dennison, Miss M. M. Hunt; "Hark! the Herald Angels sing," chorus; "Holy Babe in Slumber Lieth," "Celestial Choirs," solo and chorus; "Heavenly Father, Sovereign Lord."

—Dr. Joseph O. Thompson of Haverford college, Penn. is spending the holidays at home.

—We are glad to hear that our young friend Alton Blanchard is recovering from his illness.

—The concert given by the Old North Sunday-school last Sunday evening was unusually interesting.

—James E. Humphrey and wife of Amherst paid a short visit here last week.

—Rev. Mr. Kendall and family spent Christmas in Cambridge.

WHISPERS ABOUT WOMEN.

Lady Henry Somerset is thirty-two, energetic, eloquent and of blue blood.

Mary Anderson has had an offer of $10,000 for a thirty-six column love story.

Miss Frances E. Willard has been given by Dr. Fulton, of Maine, an acre of ground at Mount Desert and he promises that a cottage is to be erected there for her.

Mrs. Huggins, wife of the English astronomer, is a most able assistant to her husband in his astronomical labors, and keeps a record for herself of her observations.

Nina Van Zandt has grown merry since her marriage, and is seemingly as happy and contented in her new sphere as if she had never been pictured in the papers or figured in a condemned cell marriage.

Mrs. Harrison has been presented by Azzeez Muscalem, an Ottoman subject of Mount Lebanon, Syria, with a picture of the president painted on silk and framed in native wood inlaid with mother-of-pearl.

Miss Sallie Matthews, the new postmistress of Cloverport, Ky., is an energetic little woman. For six years, though she is still under thirty, she was agent at Cloverport of a large cooperage company, with 200 men and several steamboats under her control.

Mrs. M. G. C. Edholm, of Oakland, press superintendent for the California W. C. T. U., during the past year has secured the insertion of temperance items in 120 California papers, besides herself writing 250 columns of original matter for about two dozen periodicals.

NOVELTIES IN JEWELRY.

Miniatures framed in contrasting effects of black and white are shown.

A matchbox of novel design is in the form of a folded horse blanket, with a saddle on the upper side.

Coffee spoons with flowers enameled in natural colors on the handles are among the novelties in silverware.

A glove buttoner is in the form of a whip, the lash, which curls back and around the handle, forming the loop.

A silver cigarette holder is fashioned in the shape of a woodcock's head, the long, slender bill of the bird forming the stem.

A lady's purse recently designed has an expansible bow, constructed on the principle of the toggle lever. A small cover closes the aperture when the ring is contracted.—Jewelers' Weekly.

No praise of ours can equal the sincere faith of those who know Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.

Church Notices.

Under this heading the pastors of *all* the churches are cordially invited to make such announcements of services etc. as they may wish. We only stipulate that such notices to be inserted shall reach us at the least, on Thursday of each week—the day before publication.

TRINITY CHURCH (Weymouth), Rev. William Hyde, rector. Service with sermon and Holy Communion at 10.30 a. m. Subject, "The Glory of Humanity." Sunday-school after the morning service. Service with sermon at 7.30 p. m.; Subject, "Thoughts for the New Year."

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (Weymouth).—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. B. F. Eaton, at 10.30 a. m., subject "The New Year." Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 p. m.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (North Weymouth) Preaching by the pastor at 2.30 p. m., subject "The New Year." Sunday-school at p. m.; Y. P. C. U. at 7 p. m.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (South Weymouth), Rev. W. H. Bolster, pastor. —Morning service 10.30 a. m.; Communion at 2 p.m.; evening service 6.15 p. m.; young people's meeting 7.30 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (East Weymouth).—Rev. Daniel Evans, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school 11.45 a. m.; Communion service, 2.30 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m.; evening service 7 p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (East Weymouth), Rev. A. A. Kidder, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school 12 m.; Communion service, 2.30 p. m.; Epworth League 6 p. m.; evening service at 7.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (South Weymouth) Rev. L. W. Atwood, pastor. Morning service 10.30; Sunday-school at close of morning service; Y. P. C. U. at 6.30. All are welcome.

OLD NORTH CHURCH (Weymouth Heights) Rev. Robert R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Strangers, new comers, all who have no church home are cordially invited to meet with us. Seats for all.

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART (Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Mass at 10.30 a. m. Sunday-school 2.30 p. m.

CHURCH OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER (South Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor; Mass at 9 a. m.

TEMPERANCE HALL (East Weymouth).—Gospel Temperance meeting at 5.30 p. m.

CHURCH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (East Weymouth)—Rev. D. S. Healey pastor. Mass at 10.30 a.m. Sunday-school at 2.30 p. m.; Vespers at 3.30 p. m.

UNION CHURCH (Weymouth and Braintree). The pastor, Rev. Oliver Huckel, will preach at the morning service at 10.30; Sunday-school after morning service; Communion service at 2.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting unites with the general Union service of the Baptist, Methodist and Congregational churches, at 7.30 in the Union church, at the opening of the Week of Prayer.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH (Weymouth). Rev. Wesley L. Smith, pastor.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m., Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y.P.S.C.E. at 5.45 p. m. Evening service will be omitted, to unite with the Union Congregational church of Weymouth and Braintree.

M. E. CHURCH (East Braintree).—George B. Rogers pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. by the pastor; Sunday-school at 12 m. This church will unite in the Union services during the Week of Prayer. No evening service.

MISSION CHAPEL (Nash's Corner). The services next Sunday will be conducted by G. V. Lampher.

Is He Your Friend?

Is the family doctor your friend? How many unnecessary visits does he make you? How many days does he keep you sick that you ought to be at your work, and so doing how many hard-earned dollars does he extort from you. Would it not be better for you to place your trust in Sulphur Bitters? Try them, they will be a true friend. Saving you a long sickness and a large bill, which you have hitherto paid to some avaricious doctor.—Editor State Journal.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

The column under this title will be given to the people for a free discussion of any and all subjects. The management of the paper distinctly disclaim any responsibility for the opinions here expressed.

WEYMOUTH, Dec. 29, '91.

MR. EDITOR:

I wish to say a word about music. It seems to me very strange in this day of progress that so few young people are interesting themselves in music with a view to become singers. I know it is a great advantage having it in the schools, but after school days are over it is generally forgotten, or at least neglected, so that one seldom feels competent to sing in public. For instance, I can scarcely call to mind a person, male of female, who is willing or able to sing a solo in any of our churches. We have young men and women who have good voices who would soon be competent to do that with a little study. I wish parents would interest themselves in their children, large and small, and give a little thought to this subject. Now is the time to learn how to place the voice so it will develop in the right way. As I am at home for the season and always much interested in music I can take and would enjoy a few more pupils. "Birds that can sing and wont should be made to sing." I will guarantee success in voice cultivation and also sight reading which is so invaluable but generally much neglected by most teachers.

JENNIE B. WORSTER.

WEYMOUTH, Dec. 26, '91.

EDITOR GAZETTE:

Will you kindly insert the following article in your paper:

On Thursday evening, the 24th, we took the 7.45 p. m. train from Boston for Weymouth. We left Boston on time and were coming along at a good speed with every prospect of reaching our destination on time. We were in the smoking car, and it was crowded, people standing up. Everybody in the car was, no doubt, anticipating a "Merry Christmas" and the spending of the day following with his family, and were feeling happy. We had almost reached Braintree, when, without a word of warning, the air brakes were put on, there was a crash, the train suddenly stopped and everybody was shaken up fearfully. Men standing in the aisle were thrown down; some on their backs, others on their heads, and all the occupants in the car were frightened. One gentleman in the front of the car was thrown out through the door and had his right leg fractured below the knee. The cars in front were filled with ladies and gentlemen going to spend Christmas at home or with friends.

After order had been somewhat restored, it was found on inquiry that our train had run into a train in front of us, and the engine had cut about five feet into the forward train.

After waiting about an hour in our car for it to start, as it had been raining very hard outside, and had by this time commenced to abate, we concluded to walk to the Braintree depot. On our way there, we noticed as we passed the engine of the train that we were in, that some of the wheels were on the inward track, and there was debris from the shattered car all around.

There is hardly a time when we have been on the cars to and from Boston, lately, that there has not been some delay, sudden stop, or jar to shake the passengers up.

Would it not be more profitable for the Old Colony to pay better money to their engineers and hire more experienced men to take charge of the throttle than to be jeopardizing the lives of their passengers by placing their engines in the hands of incompetent men?

It seems that in this age, when everything is so perfected as to make it almost as safe to ride in the cars as to sit in your own house, when there are double tracks, etc., and everything is so arranged as to make it almost impossible for an accident, that it is strange such a thing should occur. Why is it? Is it because the Old Colony are so bound up in money-getting that the safety of the passengers is a secondary consideration? In the opinion of a number of people something should be done by the State Railroad Commissioners, unless there is a change for the better soon.

A PASSENGER.

Editor of Gazette:

The East Braintree M. E. church was presented with a handsome clock as a Christmas gift from an unknown friend. Many thanks are expressed for this gift, yet we wish that this friend had made some inquiries, as we had been presented with one some time ago. This friend must believe in this text, "Let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth."

A MEMBER OF THE CHURCH.

MR. EDITOR:—

Allow me to express through your columns the appreciation which many of us feel for the writings of "Pero," in the South Weymouth items. I consider him one of the brightest of the Gazette's able corps of correspondents.

ONE WHO ENJOYS A LITTLE WIT.

Marriages and Deaths.

MARRIED.

In Weymouth, Dec. 25, by Rev. William Hyde, William G. Clark of Hallowell, Me. to Annie M. Chambers of East Braintree.

In South Weymouth, Dec. 24, by Rev. J. Baker, Frank E. Larmy to Miss Eva Frances Litchfield both of Weymouth.

In South Weymouth, Dec. 24, by Rev. J. Baker, John H. McMackins, Jr. to Mrs. Georgiana Porter, both of Abington.

In East Braintree, Dec. 24, by Rev. Oliver Huckel, Lewis M. Gay to Miss Tirzah Tirrell both of South Weymouth.

In South Weymouth, Dec. 28, by Rev. W. H. Bolster, John F. Hunt and Miss Jennie L. Hocking, both of South Weymouth.

DEATHS.

In South Weymouth, Dec. 19, John G. Hutchins, aged 46 yrs. 21 days.

In Weymouth, Dec. 21, Caroline C., wife of Ira W. Hill, aged 66 yrs. 6 mos. 12 days.

In South Weymouth, Dec. 22, Alfred Belcher, aged 77 yrs. 2 mos. 21 days.

In South Weymouth, Dec. 24, Sarah, wife of Noah Vining, aged 80 yrs. 9 mos. 4 days.

In East Weymouth, Dec. 25, Nancy Bicknell, widow of Joshua Holbrook, aged 87 yrs. 6 mos. 23 days.

In East Weymouth, Dec. 29, Margaret Adelaide, widow of Henry W. Raymond, aged 48 yrs. 8 mos.

In East Weymouth, Dec. 24, Enos D. Raymond, aged 79 yrs. 11 mos. 25 days.

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WANTS, FOR SALE, TO LET, etc.

(Notices of not more than 4 lines under this head, only 25 cents each insertion.

FOR SALE. Pony sleigh; a nice lot of stuffed sleighs, fresh from the factory; price low. Two work horses at a low price. Blankets and robes; all prices. William Burrell, South Weymouth. 31 tf

IF you wish to advertise anything anywhere at any time write to Geo. P. Rowell & Co., No. 10 Spruce street, New York. Aug. 19, 1 yr

TO LET. House on Philips street, containing 6 rooms with small stable at $8 per month. Inquire of W. K. Baker. 38 tf

WANTED. People to know that it costs only 25 cents to make known their wants in this column.

WANTED. Bicycles and machines to repair, scissors and skates to sharpen. Leave orders at Hudson's harness shop. W. T. Sylvester. 36 tf

Successfully Closed.

The South Weymouth Course (Co-operative) closed last Tuesday night with a concert; Myron Whitney, Apollo Quartette and Fay Davis were the artists.

A ballot at close of concert was taken, to decide which entertainment of the course was the favorite. The verdict showed a majority of fifty-six for the last entertainment, over the total vote of all others in this popular course. The Kneisel Quartette was second choice. The vote for Leland T. Powers and Tufts College Glee Club being a tie for third choice.

The course has been very inexpensive considering the talent. The committee who have worked without a cent in payment, and worked hard, should have a vote of thanks from all who have attended and enjoyed the course.

All Papers do the Same.

People should not expect too much free from the papers. Cards of thanks are not considered news items, and there is therefore a charge for the same. The same is true of advance notices of entertainments where there is an admission fee. They can be inserted in the news columns, however, if paid for.—Quincy Patriot.

Mrs. JENNIE B. WORSTER
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South Shore Co-operative Bank.

The regular meeting of the Director's of the South Shore Co-operative Bank will be held MONDAY Evening, January 4, 1892, at 7.30 o'clock, at Royal Arcanum Hall. $900 will be sold to the highest bidder at 9 o'clock. New shares in the Fourth Series for sale at $3.06, at or before this meeting.
FRANCIS AMBLER, President.
CHAS. G. SHEPPARD, Sec. and Treas.,
Weymouth, Mass. 38 1w

South Weymouth Savings Bank.

The annual meeting of the South Weymouth Savings Bank will be held at the bank, on MONDAY, January 4, 1892, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the Choice of Officers, and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before the corporation.
A. E. VINING, Treasurer.
South Weymouth, Dec. 12, 1891. 36 38

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Veterinary Surgeon,
TORREY'S AVENUE,
WEYMOUTH, MASS.
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South Weymouth Post Office.

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Mails Depart.—6.45 A. M. for Plymouth (R. P. O.); 8.00 A.M. for Boston; 10.30 A. M. for Boston; 12 P. M. for Boston; 4.30 P. M. for Boston; 6.00 P. M. for Boston (R. P. O.).

Advertised Letters.

R K Farris, postal
Joe W Holbrook, postal
Helen Lyons, postal
Mrs Osker K Wilder, postal
Wm F Thomas

When calling for letters, call for **advertised.** If not called for in ten days, these letters will be forwarded to the Dead Letter Office, Washington, D.C.
A. E. VINING, Postmaster.
December 31, 1891.

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RESOLUTIONS.

ORION COMMANDERY, No. 92, U. O. G. C., }
SOUTH WEYMOUTH, Mass., Dec. 29, 1891. }

WHEREAS, In the all wise Providence of God, our brother, Sir Knight John G. Hutchins has been removed by death from our citadel on earth to the eternal citadel above, therefore

Resolved, That while we sincerely mourn his removal from our fraternal circle, we bow in reverent submission to the will of Him, without whose notice not "a sparrow falleth to the ground," and "who doth not afflict willingly nor grieve the children of men."

Resolved, That in Sir Knight Hutchins, we recognize that the United Order of the Golden Cross had a steadfast friend, a firm advocate and an exemplary member,—and we rejoice that his last days were cheered by the knowledge that his loved ones to be left behind, would receive protection and substantial benefit from our beloved order.

Resolved, That in Sir Knight Hutchins, we furthermore recognize a good citizen of our commonwealth, a kind neighbor, a sympathizing friend and industrious, intelligent and useful member of society, a kind husband and affectionate father, whose virtues were worthy our imitation.

Resolved, That in respect to his memory, the usual emblem of mourning be displayed in our commandery for thirty days.

Resolved, That our tenderest sympathies are hereby extended to Lady Hutchins and her daughters in their bereavement, and that a copy of these resolutions be extended to them, as well as spread upon the records of our commandery, printed in the Golden Cross Journal, and the Weymouth Gazette.

RESOLUTIONS.

WHEREAS, In the Providence of God our Heavenly Father, our associate in the Wednesday Night Club, John G. Hutchins, has by death, passed from our circle and from these mortal companionships, into spiritual and unseen associations—the first one while still an active member of the club, to "put off this mortal and put on immortality," therefore

Resolved, That while in this afflictive event we bow submissively, as is right and fitting in us, to the holy will of Him who doeth all things well, we sincerely mourn the departure from our midst, of our brother associate, and grieve that we shall see his face no more.

Resolved, That, as a token of respect to the memory of our late fellow-member, during each regular meeting of the club for the next thirty days, one vacant chair in our room shall have placed upon it a suitable emblem of mourning.

Resolved, That in the death of John G. Hutchins, the Wednesday Night Club has lost one who possessed many qualities of mind and heart which made him a desirable and welcome member of our club. He took a deep interest in its prosperity. He was generally present at its meetings. In friendly debate in the club, he had such resources as made him an antagonist not to be despised and not easily vanquished. And he was as good a personal friend as ever wish his opponent,—however sharply in opinion he had differed from him in the contest,—after the intellectual combat was done. In parliamentary struggle, he was tenacious in opinion and purpose, until convinced that he was in error. He heartily enjoyed the innocent flashes of wit and repartee which sometimes brighten the atmosphere of "supper-night" like shooting stars, and none the less when they were directed toward himself as their object, than when they lighted on some other unlucky member.

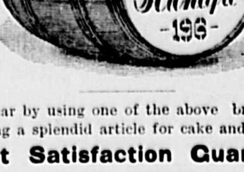
Resolved, That in our late brother, as we remember him, we also recognize many of the best elements of our common humanity, as well as some of the sturdy characteristics of the native New Englander. He was generous to the unfortunate, as some of us know, and sympathetic with the suffering. He had great respect for genuine character in his fellowmen. He had much independence of mind, confidence in his own intellectual conclusions, and perfect fearlessness in expressing them when once formed. He was a well-read, thoughtful man; a good friend; an intelligent companion; a loyal member of the club from its beginning, existing as it now has, for nearly a decade of years, as one of the social institutions of our beloved village. "We shall meet, but we shall miss him."

Resolved, That our heartfelt condolence, as individuals and as a club, is hereby extended to his bereaved family in their irreparable loss;—that a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to them through our secretary, as well as spread upon the records of the club, and printed in the Weymouth Gazette.

W. H. BOLSTER, }
C. C. TOWER, } Committee on Resolutions.
G. L. WENTWORTH, }

Wednesday Night Club Room,
December 23, 1891.

WE WISH YOU A HAPPY NEW YEAR.



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One Leather Coat to close. $3.50, size 46.
Genuine all wool Flannels, $1.
Heavy clouded Shirts and Drawers, 50c.
The best 50c. unlaundered Shirt.
Cardigans, only $1.00.
A few blue Flannel outside Shirts, to close for 99c., regular $1.50.
A Calendar presented to all my Patrons.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

TO William H. Murray and all others interested. Pursuant to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by William H. Murray to Noah B. Thayer, dated February 28, 1887, and recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds, lib. 588, fol. 317, and assigned by said Noah B. Thayer, October 14, 1891, to R. Wallace Hunt, and recorded in said registry, lib. 665, fol. 364, will be sold at Public Auction on the premises for breach of the conditions of said mortgage,

On Saturday, January 23, 1892,

at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the Real Estate described in said deed, to wit: A certain tract or parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Weymouth, in said County of Norfolk, Massachusetts, called South Weymouth, and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Southeasterly on Pleasant street, northeasterly by land now or late of one Larabee, northwesterly by land now or late of Joseph B. Howe and Avery S. Howe, and southwesterly by land now or late of C. M. Grundstrom. For title, see said registry, lib. 561, fol. 12. Said premises will be sold subject to a prior mortgage of fifteen hundred dollars and accrued interest and unpaid taxes if any, together with all benefit and equity of redemption of the said Murray, his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns therein.

Terms made known at the time and place of sale.
R. WALLACE HUNT,
Assignee of said Mortgage.
Weymouth, Dec. 30, 1891. 38 40

William T. Rice,
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Weymouth, 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A.M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P.M. **Return**, 5.50, 7.12, 7.55, 8.48, 10.26 A.M.; 1.03, 3.43, 4.43, 5.51, 6.01, 7.52, 10.06 P.M.

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East Weymouth Briefs.

—Next Friday, Ladies' orchestra and Brooks, in the Institute Course.

—The young ladies' Cemetery Circle will meet with Mrs. M. E. Hawes, Saturday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Canterbury spent last Sunday in Boston, at the residence of Walter M. Dizer.

—The family and guests of Mrs. M. L. Cushing celebrated Christmas at the Weymouth house, with a well laden Christmas tree.

—Jesse L. Cushing is the champion guesser, and thereby secured the goose from the market of E. Litchfield & Son.

—Mr. Frank Bodman of Peoria, Ill., has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. N. D. Canterbury, for a few days.

—Misses Jennie and Lillian Rice are spending the holiday vacation in Philadelphia.

—Officers Peare, Vogel and Pratt are on the sick list this week, and P. Butler is the only man of the force who is able to do night duty.

—It was a good party which gathered at Odd Fellows' Opera House Christmas afternoon. About 75 couple joined in one of those popular Sunlight parties for which Tirrell's Orchestra is becoming so famous.

—The opening of a second series of assemblies by the Y. M. S. C. in Masonic Hall last Saturday night was quite a success. Sixty couples were assembled and a good time was enjoyed.

—Special Christmas services were held in the Congregational church, last Sunday. The pastor, Rev. Daniel Evans preached an able sermon taking for his topic, "The greatness of Jesus." The music, which had been specially prepared for the occasion, consisted of a solo, "Prince of Peace" by C. Will Bailey; solo, "Noel" by Mrs. B. S. Lovell; hymn, "Joy to the World," choir and congregation; selection, "Glory to God," Male Quartette. The solos were very finely rendered, as was also the selection by the male quartette. In the evening the Sunday-school repeated, in part, the concert that was given Christmas eve. The music was of unusual excellence. Mrs. Emerson delighted the audience with a solo, "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

—Mrs. E. G. Freeman of Whitman, has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. A. M. Raymond.

—The Class of '90, North High school, held its annual reunion last week with Miss Lina Tirrell. School-days were reviewed, old ties strengthened, and a happy evening spent. Miss Kate McInroe was elected president, and Miss Ada White secretary and treasurer for the ensuing year.

—Mr. S. Arthur Pratt and family, who have all been quite seriously ill at the residence of J. F. Dizer, are now improving.

—D. D. G., Walter W. Hersey and suite, will install officers elect of Steadfast Degree, Daughters of Rebekah, at Odd Fellows hall, next Monday night.

—Mrs. Joseph Smith is quite ill with pneumonia.

—The many friends of Miss Rillu Wade who has been seriously ill, will be pleased to learn that she is considered to be improving.

—Mr. H. B. Reed is quite ill.

—The annual meetin, of the W. C. T. U. will be held with Mrs. Bardin Prouty, Jackson square, Tuesday, Jan. 6.

—The Reform Club gave a very pleasing entertainment Monday night. The programme as arranged by Mrs. Bagley and Gumb, consisted of recitations by Harold Burrell, Jennie Burrell, Jennie Blanchard, Edith Burrell, Henry Holmes, Clarence White, and J. Inkley; duet by Ada and Sadie White; song, Edith Burrell; organ solo, Ada Burrell, and dialogue by Clarence Gardner, Ruth Gumb and Jennie Burrell.

—Miss Julia King writes that she and Mrs. Jessie E. Southworth are the only ones who give "Nyda." She has given it in Weymouth and South Weymouth and will therefore give something entirely new for the J. T. of H. at Odd Fellows Opera house next Wednesday evening.

—Tuesday afternoon Co. H, L. T. L. under the leadership of Mrs. H. B. Raymond held its annual Christmas party. About one hundred were present including visitors from Weymouth, Hingham and Lovell's Corner. Each member of the company received a present from the well laden ed tree.

—Wor. Bro., Z. L. Bicknell attended the festival of St. John the Evangelist and the installation of officers of the Grand Lodge of Masons in Boston, Tuesday night. C. W. Marsh of Hingham was appointed District Deputy of the twenty-fifth district.

The newly formed reading circle met with Rev. Mr. Evans Wednesday evening. The evening was devoted to the study of Emerson according to the following programme:—quotations; poem, "The Humble Bee," Grace Mitchell; sketch of Emerson's life, Addie Canterbury; poem, "Each and All," M. J. Hawes; Emerson's favorite authors, presented by C. D. Canterbury; poem, "Worship," Susie E. Pratt; sketch of Carlyle, Brit E. Harlow; abstract from essay "The American Scholar," Clara Reamy; poem, "The Problem," Aubrey Hart; analysis and criticism of the essay "Self-reliance" by all present.

—Col. Weston of Post 104 will install officers of Reynolds Post 58, next Tuesday evening.

—John Curtis, who was seriously bruised about the head in the railroad accident at Braintree last week, is getting along quite comfortably.

—In response to the call for a meeting of Republican voters in Ward 2, to elect a Town committee and transact other business, a good number gathered in Engine hall last night and a very enthusiastic and harmonious meeting was held. J. A. Cushing was chosen chairman and W. J. Dunbar secretary. The result of the ballot for committee was the election of J. A. Cushing, W. M. Tirrell, W. C. Earle, T. J. Evans and A. M. Hawes. Col. B. S. Lovell, Wm. Tobin and others reviewed the recent campaign and threw more light on the reason for Allen's defeat. M. E. Hawes, R. F. Shaw, E. G. Bates, N. W. Gardner, W. Tobin and F. D. Thayer were chosen as a committee to act with the regular Town committee in organizing a Republican club in the Ward. Steps will soon be taken for such an organization.

—E. Q. S. Litchfield has been appointed on the police force and is doing night duty in place of Officer Peare who has been quite ill the past week.

—The Junior Templars will have a novel and profitable contest Monday night. A series of questions on Chile is being prepared and a prize will be awarded to the one giving the largest number of correct answers.

—A New Year's party will be held in the M. E. Church tonight. This party is complimentary to the Sunday-school but all of the society are invited.

—Tirrell's orchestra drew a very pleasant party to Masonic hall last night to bid goodbye to 1891 and to welcome 1892.

—Special Christmas services were held in the M. E. church last Sunday, the sermon and morning singing being especially adapted to the occasion. A very excellent concert was given in the evening, embracing fine solos, recitations, quartettes and choruses but the programme reached us too late for publication in full.

—The following is the roster of the G. M. S. C. as elected Monday night: Pres., D. Slattery; Vice-Pres., T. F. Egan; Treas., M. W. Lynch; F. Sec., F. Greany; R. Sec., W. Fennell; Standing committee, D. J. Slattery, W. M. Lynch, C. F. McMorrow; W. McCarty and J. Hanly; Board of Trustees, T. B. Connors, M. W. Lynch, Peter Hughes.

—John Lynch and wife are visiting his parents in New York.

—A despatch received yesterday, by E. H. Raymond, from Chicago announces the sudden death of James Seavy former superintendent of the factory of R.G. Haskell.

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—Next Friday, Ladies, orchestra and Brooks, in the Institute Course.

—Monatiquot Lodge, No. 83, K. of P., elected officers on Tuesday evening, Dec. 29, as follows: C. C., L. W. Morrison; V. C., John L. Delano; P., C. W. Fearing; K. of R. S., Thos. I. Hale; M. of F., E. A. Hollis, M. of E., I. Morrison; M. at A., A. W. Custance; trustee for eighteen months, W. F. Morrison; representative to Grand Lodge, E. W. Holbrook. The officers will be installed Monday evening, Jan. 4., by D. D. G. C. C., Frank E. Hall.

THE RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

An accident occurred on the railroad between the School street crossing and Capen's bridge which resulted in the injury of several people of this town. The 7.30 p. m. way train from Boston was started promptly on time and was followed fifteen minutes later by the express. When Quincy Adams was reached, the first was a trifle late owing to the heavy travel, and it was noticed by the engineer in charge that the South Shore train which generally passed them at this point was not in sight, so he ran along slowly until he saw the South Shore just crossing over on to the main line. The 7.45 train was running on schedule time and as there is a sharp curve near Capen's bridge, the engine was right upon the rear of the accommodation train before the engineer caught sight of it. The air brakes were applied by Engineer Whitney, immediately, but the headway was so great that the engine telescoped the smoker on the rear of accommodation train about four feet. This car contained quite a number of passengers, who, with five or six exceptions, escaped with only a shaking up. Ira P. Morrison passed through the wreck unhurt but climbing out of the car, he stepped on the West Quincy track just as a train came along, tossing him to one side, breaking his leg and otherwise injuring him. Daniel O. Estes of North Weymouth, in the employ of J. M. Arnold, grocer, of this town had his leg fractured in two places and his head cut. These two were removed to the Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston. Benjamin Rudderham, age about 16, in employ of Jordan, Marsh & Co., injuries on spine and other parts of the body, which have confined him to his bed since the accident. W. H. Drew of Braintree, severely bruised, and is still suffering from the effects of it. Thomas Lang of Braintree injured his back, has settled with the Old Colony for $100. Lady belonging in Avon was taken out the car in an unconscious condition but was not injured in any way. These are all that were much hurt, although a good many gentlemen were bruised about the face. The railroad officials were notified, a wrecking train in charge of Supt. Allen, was sent from Boston and about 12.30 Christmas morning the track was clear.

STOUGHTON MUSICAL SOCIETY'S ANNUAL.

The old Stoughton Musical Society held its 106th annual rehearsal and concert in the chapel of the First Congregational Church, Christmas afternoon and evening. From 3 to 5 o'clock the society rehearsed from the Stoughton Centennial Collection under the leadership of Leander Soule of Taunton. During the evening, solos were given by Mrs. C. C. Farnham of Randolph, Mrs. Porter, Miss Helen Morrison and Mrs. Baker of Weymouth, who was encored several times. The M. A. Perkins Male Quartette was unable to be present on account of the illness of two their number. Its place was very successfully filled by the quartette of the First Parish Church. At the business meeting the following officers were elected: pres., Geo. N. Spear of Randolph; vice-pres., S. W. Billings of Sharon, M. A. Perkins of South Braintree, J. B. Thayer of Randolph, H. S. Porter of Brockton, and E. G. Capen of Stoughton; sec. and treas., Dr. Chas. C. Farnham of Randolph; chorister, Leander Soule of Taunton; vice-chorister, E. P. Hayward of Braintree; standing com., William Porter of Randolph, L. M. Packard of Brockton, and D. H. Huxford of Randolph; com. on necrology, Sanford G. Capen of Stoughton, E. Alden Belcher of Braintree, Hiram C. Alden of Randolph, and the president, secretary and treasurer.

—Miss Alice Plympton of Wellesley Hills has been visiting at Col. A. C. Drinkwater's.

—The annual Christmas tree of the First Congregational Church was held in the chapel Thursday evening.

—Lieut. Chas G. Long, U. S. N., of Washington, has been spending his leave of absence at his home on River street.

—The double rendering of the Tannhauser melody was highly appreciated Sunday morning although no audible applause was indulged in.

—The Misses Keith have been spending their vacation with their father, A. B. Keith.

—Our copy of the new time table which takes effect on Monday was received too late to allow of getting the South Braintree and Braintree lists, which are long, in this issue. Time tables can be procured at the stations.

—Postmaster N. R. Proctor has been confined to his home by a severe cold.

—Master George Lunt was presented with a handsome new safety bicycle by his parents.

—The funeral of S. W. Hollis was held from his late residence on Washington street Friday afternoon. The interment was at Mt. Wollaston.

—Hotel Monatiquot has been reshingled.

—Mrs. Dr. H. A. Jones spent Christmas at her home in East Dennis.

—The Misses Sugdan are both severely sick with pneumonia.

—R. Elmer Morrison presented each of the members of his Sunday-school class with a handsome gold scarf pin, Christmas.

—Mrs. Wm. May died at her residence on Washington street, after a three weeks illness, Thursday. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon. The interment was at the Pond street cemetery, South Braintree.

—J. P. Mason, night operator at the depot, has resigned, to accept a position on the New York and New England railroad. We wish you success, Pete.

—Elizabeth French, widow of the late B. F. Arnold, died at her home on Washington street, Tuesday evening, aged 81 years and six months, after a short illness of pneumonia. The funeral will be held to-day from her residence at 1 p. m.

—The Braintree Fife and Drum Corps gave an informal supper in their hall, Long's Block, last evening. When the members and their friends, to the number of 30, had arrived, they all sat down to a supper that would have done Caterer Hicks credit. After coffee and cigars had been handed around, the president of the corps, F. G. Winkfield, said that it was the intention in hiring the room in the block to form a social club out of the members and as many more gentlemen as would like to join, calling it the Braintree Fife and Drum Corps. Rt. Hon. John Foster Gray of Weymouth was next introduced. At five minutes of twelve the company was formed into line and headed by the bass and tenor drums, marched around the room singing "Sweet Home" and "America" and, when the town clock struck twelve, "We Won't go Home 'till Morning." A collection was taken for the Rt. Honorable which made him happy.

South Braintree.

—Mrs. S. B. French, wife of Judge Asa French, died at the family residence on Washington street, Christmas forenoon, after a brief illness of pneumonia. Mrs. French was the daughter of Simon and Mary Palmer, and was born in Boston, June 6th, 1830. She was the mother of five children, one son and four daughters, of whom there are now three living. The funeral was held from her late residence on Washington street, Monday afternoon. The interment was in Randolph.

—Miss Margaret Downey, who is teaching school in Brockton is at her home for the vacation.

—The Methodist Society held a meeting in the church, Thursday evening, to watch the old year out and the new one in.

—The Ladies Aid Society will meet Wednesday evening with Mrs. Walter Poole.

—Percy Whitcomb was surprised at his home Monday evening by a company of friends who presented him with a handsome gold watch. After a collation, dancing was indulged in until a late hour.

—Williams & Kneeland's shoe factory and the Hollingsworth & Whitney paper mill gave their employees, in addition to Christmas day, the day following.

—Walter Pierce of Seabrook, N. H., and Herbert Pierce of Newton spent Christmas with H. A. Pierce.

—Joseph Hayden was in town Christmas.

—Miss Bessie Stevens of Dorchester is stopping a few days here.

—Mrs. James French has been visiting relatives at Bird's Station.

—Miss Jessie Smith has been visiting her married sister who resides in Cambridge.

—The South Congregational society had their Christmas tree in the chapel Thursday evening. There was a large attendance and the entertainment furnished by the members of the Sunday-school was very interesting.

—Officers Furnald of Quincy, Kelley of Braintree, and Knights of Randolph, raided the premises of Abel H. Thayer, Abbie Thayer and H. N. Hayden in Haydenville. At the two former places they seized a quantity of rum, whiskey and lager beer.

—The Universalist society had their Christmas tree in the Town Hall, Thursday evening.

—Fred R. Carmichael has been sick for nearly two weeks. He is being attended by Dr. T. H. Dearing.

—Miss Grace Reed, of Boston, is spending a few days with Mrs. C. B. Cummings.

—The Grippe is making its way, unaided, in this town; the following persons being sufferers: Lewis Thayer, Mrs. Dallas Willis, Hon. F. A. Hobart, the whole family of Selectman Ansel O. Clark, and Rev. E. O. Dyer, who has gone to his home in Whitman to recuperate.

—The family of Mr. S. A. Willis of Worcester, are visiting at Mr. Elisha Thayer's.

—Nahanton Tribe No. 81, I. O. R. M., elected the following officers Monday evening: P., J. E. Moreland; S., W. J. Loring; S. S., L, W. Thayer; J. S., J. F. Eaton; C. R., Robert Dunsmore; A. C. R., Charles E. Woodsworth; K. R., G. W. Stevens.

—Miss Rose I. Byrne's dancing class gave an exhibition, followed by a reception, in the Town Hall, Tuesday evening. The new quarter begins this afternoon.

—James W. Chick, janitor at the Thayer Academy has had an attack of the grippe.

North Weymouth Gleanings.

—Gad Robinson. Roumania Quintette, Julia King at Odd Fellows Opera house, East Weymouth, next Wednesday night.

—Republican caucus last evening chose for Ward committee for 1892, J. W. Bartlett, Austin P. Beard, Samuel Nash, Chas. W. White.

—The Weymouth Bakery (N. T. Tirrell, proprietor) has purchased a new wagon, which is to be put on a new route through North Weymouth. Mr. Will Burrell will be the driver.

—Augustus Cleverly will occupy the Bayside house this winter.

—S. Ozro Estes was one of the injured in the Old Colony accident at Braintree, Dec. 24. He was standing in the baggage-car on the rear end of the South Shore train at the time of the collision with the train ahead. The shock threw him through the open door of the car on to the track, breaking the large bone of his leg. He was taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital immediately, and the injury attended to. We are glad to learn that he is now doing well.

—Frank Kenerson has taken a position as driver on Harrison Moulton's express.

—Wilmot Cleverly and wife are both down with the grippe.

—O. P. Fisher has moved his business into Lemuel Torrey's building, North street.

—J. H. Ash has been spending a few days in Nashua, N. H.

—G. B. French is taking a vacation which he is spending in this place.

—J. P. Holbrook has been confined to the house for a week with the grippe.

—Mrs. Bridget Coleman has had trouble with the blood vessels of her arm which necessitated amputation. The operation was performed Tuesday. She is at present doing well.

—The meeting of the Century Club which would have been to-night, has been postponed for a week.

—At the meeting of the Pilgrim Fathers last week, a quorum was not present, and no officers were elected.

—The third lecture in the course was delivered in the Universalist church last Tuesday evening, by Rev. L. A. Banks of South Boston, subject, "The Problems of Modern Cities. Mr. Banks vividly pictured life in the tenement house district, and showed up the sweating system as it is worked in Boston.

—The Y. P. C. U. gave a New Year's party in the vestry of the Universalist church last night.

—The W. C. T. U. held their convention in the Pilgrim church in this place Thursday morning and afternoon. A large number were present from the surrounding towns.

—Wm. Dyer is the father of a little boy.

—Mrs. Richard Cushing died Tuesday evening after a short illness. She had been an invalid for some years but the direct cause of her death was pneumonia. She was the oldest of four sisters all of whom are living. She also leaves a husband, two sons and two daughters to mourn her loss.

—The engagement of John Q. Manuel and Miss Lizzie Souther is announced.

Lovell's Corner.

—The little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wheaton of East Weymouth, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Turner of Rockland, each received a Christmas gift from their great-grandfather, Mr. Levi L. Barker, of a figured quart tumbler. The tumblers are more than one hundred years old. The recipients of these gifts are the sixth generation of Laban and Sally Worrick of Cohasset.

Weymouth and East Braintree.

—Division 6, A. O. H. concert and ball to-night.

—Next Friday, Ladies' orchestra and Brooks, in the Institute Course.

—George Harris has sold his milk route to Nathaniel Chandler, and will accept a position with Hunt & Co., grocers.

—Auction sale of household goods tomorrow (Saturday) at the late residence of R. K. Trott.

—The Weymouth Bakery mince pies. Oh, my, ain't they just delicious! Have you tried them?

—Prof. Ryerson, reader, at Clapp's hall to-night.

—Bert Page is working for Mr. E. Bourk in the livery stable department.

—It will be a good time at Clapp's hall to-night. It is the annual concert and ball of Division 6, A. O. H. A good concert, good music for the dancing, pretty orders, and a good supper. Don't go anywhere else to-night.

—The adjourned Republican caucus for the election of a Ward Committee, was held at Engine hall, Wednesday evening. More interest was shown than at the last meeting, nine being present, an increase of three over the last meeting. Judge James H. Flint was chairman, and F. M. Drown, secretary. On motion, a committee of three was appointed to bring in a list of ten names to choose a committee from. Another committee of three was afterwards appointed, and they also brought in a list of ten, making twenty names to chose from. Then after a great deal of talk as to how they should be voted for, it was finally decided to put all the names on one paper and each man mark against the five names he was in favor of, which resulted in the choice of the following committee: James H. Flint, Edward T. Jordan, George A. Hunt, C. E. Bicknell and F. M. Drown. What the meeting lacked in numbers was fully made up for in enthusiasm, and the motions and amendments made, would have "puzzled a Philadelphia lawyer."

—Mr. Fred Cate, his wife, mother, sister, four children and the hired girl, were all down sick with the grippe on Christmas day, but are now all getting along with the exception of Mr. Cate's mother, who is threatened with pneumonia.

—Patrick Ahearn gate-tender at the church crossing, and Richard M. Holbrook, are among those used up with the grippe.

—Miss Carrie Peterson has been ill with the grippe.

—Major John W. Hart is still confined to the house with rheumatism. The genial major is much missed by his friends.

—Dr. Virgin is again attending to business, having fully recovered from his recent attack of the grippe.

—Miss Eliza Hart, while visiting her sister at Quincy, was taken ill with the grippe, and is yet confined to the house with it.

—A little monthly paper called "Church News" begins this month under the supervision of the C. E. S. of Union church. Five hundred copies will be printed monthly. The first issue will be distributed next Sunday at the church service.

—A party of about twenty-five friends of John Hunt, son of Willard Hunt, gave him a surprise party at his residence on Washington street, Christmas evening, it being the occasion of his eighteenth birthday. He was presented with a number of handsome presents, among which was a pair of driving gloves and a pair of slippers.

—Mr. and Mrs. James B. Ford are receiving the congratulations of their many friends, on the arrival of a lively baby boy.

—The week of prayer begins with next Sunday. The Baptists, Methodists and Congregationalists of the village will unite their services. The first union service will be in the Union church on next Sunday evening at 7.30. A corneter and Miss Alice Bailey of Somerville, the gifted daughter of Mrs. Walter Bailey, have been engaged to assist in the music. The service of Monday evening will also be held in Union church; Tuesday evening at the Methodist church, and Wednesday and Thursday evenings at the Baptist church. One of the pastors of these churches will make an address at each service.

—The W. C. T. U. will meet at the residence of Mrs. F. L. King, Washington street, Monday, Jan. 4, at 3.30 p. m. This being the annual business meeting, it is desired that all the members should be present.

—Mrs. Jennie B. Worster is taking a few pupils in voice cultivation and has an advertisement in this paper.

—A pleasant little wedding occurred on Christmas Eve at Rev. Mr. Huckel's residence on Quincy avenue. The happy parties were Mr. Lewis M. Gay and Miss Tirzah Tirrell of South Weymouth. The ceremony of the ring was used. Mr. and Mrs. Gay went immediately to their new and cozy home at Nash's Corner where they begun their married life with a happy Christmas.

—George Partridge, formerly of this place, but now a resident of Philadelphia, spent Christmas with his mother here.

—Herman Emerson, the popular clerk at A. M. Bachelder & Co.'s pharmacy, has been to Jeffrey, N. H. on a visit to his parents.

—An interesting Christmas service was held at the First Baptist church last Sunday evening, which included special music and an interesting address by the pastor, Rev. W. L. Smith. At the close, the ordnance of baptism was administered to five candidates.

—Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Roberts entertain the euchre club at their residence this evening.

—While the bell on the Baptist church was being rung for church last Sunday evening, the tongue broke off, but it is now fixed and ready to ring again.

—Henry Crane and his son Frank have gone into the grain business at Quincy, having bought out Russell's grain store which was formerly run by Ambler & Hobart.

—Mrs. Sarah W. Glover is ill with la grippe.

—J. F. Sullivan is at Nashua, N. H.

—The smelters are having some good fishing. One man caught thirty-five pounds and two others fifty pounds one day last week.

—Miss M. Nellie Hart has been visiting relatives at Lynn for the past week.

—Query. Who sent the stone back to Boston?

—The stone with the inscription "Tufts Library, 1891," was placed in position this week, and there is a great deal of talk over what is supposed to be the letter U. One of our professional men and a shoemaker got into quite a heated argument over it, going way back into ancient history in the course of their remarks. We will say that the letter is correct and is now used in that shape in some old style types, although we agree with those who would have preferred a perfectly plain and easily-to-be-read letter.

—Commissioner of public buildings of Boston, Thos. F. Devlin and family, spent Christmas with Mrs. Devlin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Field.

—William and John Tracy of Clinton, were here over Christmas.

—Dennis Griffin of Eliot street, received quite severe injuries to his side and back in the collision at Braintree last Thursday.

—Francis A. Hunt started Monday on a trip through the West for the firm of E. S. Hunt & Sons. This firm is working up an immense business in fire crackers, and their "Giants" are rapidly supplanting all other makes, the Chinese included.

—Dr. Davis, veterinary surgeon, has moved into the A. K. Bates house on Torrey's avenue.

—Gustavus Leach is ill with bronchitis.

—Thomas E. Sargent of Worcester, an uncle of newsdealer Cunningham, died suddenly of the grippe at that place this week. Mr. Cunningham is there attending the funeral today.

—Postmaster Lyon received a letter from a lawyer in Decorah, Iowa, desiring to know if John or Mary Flanigan live in this town. An aunt by the name of Ann Tracy has died at that place and left them some property. A young man named John Flanigan lived in this place a few years ago and he is supposed to be the party.

—Baggagemaster James Morrison has been ill with the grippe.

—Misses Winnie and Kate Wolfe of Boston have been visiting their cousin, Miss Mary J. Hart.

South Weymouth Items.

—In the regular report of the recent minstrel show given by the Wheel Club very little mention was made of the gentlemen who so ably assisted the home talent in developing the programme. Judging from the warmth of the applause the audience fully appreciated the abilities of the visitors. Mr. Nash, as many said, was next to a professional in his performance, and Messrs Mitchell and Dearborn fell but little short of earning such a doubtful compliment. Fred W. Clark, now of North Abington, was exceedingly droll in his imitation of Lew Dockstader, and all of the out-of-towners (not excepting the Banjo Club) acquitted themselves admirably. The Club highly appreciated their assistance, and the audience gave its testimony all through the evening.

—Roumania Quintette at Odd Fellows Opera house, East Weymouth, next Wednesday night.

—The annual meeting of the South Weymouth Savings Bank for the choice of officers will be held at the bank, Jan. 4, at 7.30 p. m.

—The installation of officers of the Foresters for the ensuing year took place last night, as follows: C. R., O. Madan; S. C. R., J. F. Welsh; treasurer, J. W. Vinson; L. S. W., W. T. Riley; R. S. J., J. T. Melville; S. W., E. Vining; J. W. M. Brady; S. B., W. E. Hollis; J. B. W. Brady. They were installed by Deputy D. W. Sullivan.

—The installation of the officers of Abigail Adams Rebekah Lodge No. 90, will take place Wednesday evening, Jan. 6; at the same time the degree will be conferred upon eight candidates.

—A little lad went into one of our stores the night before Christmas and said: "As the other boys are going to make their fathers nice presents I guess I will do the same." After picking out about $10 worth he said he guessed that would make his father tickled. "Well," said the seller, "who is going to pay for these? "Oh, my father will pay for them when he comes in."

—The next important event is a grand ball to be held at Fogg's hall which will include the entire department of wards 4 and 5.

—The house of Noah Vining has been the scene of much sickness and the death of Mrs. Noah Vining, who passed away on the 24th. Noah Vining, and grandchild, John, are somewhat better and John is about again. Mrs. Vining's heath is the fifth among those who were on the list of aged people that was printed a few months ago. The funeral took place at her late residence last Friday and on account of other sickness, was private.

—Undoubtedly no one in this part of the town was more pleasantly surprised than Herbert W. Sears, Foreman in the Cutting room of H. B. Reed & Co., when he was encircled by the employees, and Miss Mary E. Burke advanced and in behalf of those present presented him with an elegant gold watch as a token of their regard toward him as a foreman. Mr. Sears was somewhat taken back, but soon recovered and with a few well chosen words thanked them for such an elegant Christmas gift and assured them that the givers would ever be remembered by him.

—The Christmas trees and festivals of the Second and Universalist churches were held on Thursday evening and that of the Union church on Friday evening. There are many annual family gatherings in this village which deprive many from the pleasure of attending the church festivals.

—A man in this village was completely sold. Walking past a store he observed what he thought was a quantity of cracked corn on the ground. Thinking it was accidently dropped there he scraped it up sand and all and carried it home. He put it in his hen-yard. As hens do not eat sawdust it is probably there now.

—A man while circulating cards advertising the prices of whiskey and other liquors for a dealer in Boston, had a man in company with him about two-thirds "tight", to illustrate the workings of the stuff he was advertising.

—A lady in this village received a large amount of Christmas presents from Mr. E. Nash, to be distributed to children whose circumstances are such, that they would not be likely to get any if it were not for the kind acts of others.

—The house of widow Jerimiah Holbrook has had the appearance of a hospital of late as nearly every member in the family have been sick and in bed.

—Fred Wright, son of the late Ebeson Wright, who has been successful as an artist and been away from South Weymouth for a long time, returned a few weeks ago in very feeble health. He died last Tuesday morning at the residence of Mrs. Winslow Blanchard.

—Widow John Staples, while in Rockland last week, fell and broke both bones in her leg below the knee.

Nash's Corner.

—Mr. John O. Sullivan of Holliston and Miss Lillian M. Purcell of South Weymouth were married by Rev. Father Murphy, on New Year's Eve. The happy couple have gone to Holliston where they will reside for the present. Mr. Sullivan is an esteemed man of that place and possesses considerable business tact and energy.

—Mr. Louis Gay and Miss Tirzah Tirrell both of South Weymouth, were married Christmas Eve by Rev. Oliver Huckel at the parsonage in East Braintree. They are residing at Mrs. Gay's home on Main street.

—Bates Torrey was presented, at Christmas, with a handsome gold-headed cane by his pupils in the Shorthand and Typewriting Department of Comer's Commercial college.

—Mr. Warren Thayer is very sick at his home. Although he possesses much vitality his condition is very critical.

—Mr. George Bates and family of Whitman have been spending Christmas at Mr. Charles Stetson's.

—A very pleasant gathering of members of the fire department was held at the residence of M. P. Sprague, Monday night. The occasion was a complimentary supper by Mr. and Mrs. Sprague to the chiefs of the several wards, and their ladies. The company left with their entertainers a valuable token of esteem in the form of a silver ice pitcher which was presented by Chief, F. D. Thayer.

It was Ben Johnson, we believe, who, when asked Mallock's question, "Is life worth living?" replied, "That depends on the liver." And Ben Johnson doubtless saw the double point to the pun. The liver active—quick—life rosy, everything bright, mountains of trouble melt like mountains of snow. The liver sluggish—life dull, everything blue, molehills of worry rise into mountains of anxiety, and as a result—sick headache, dizziness, constipation. Two ways are open. Cure permanently, or relieve temporarily. Take a pill and suffer, or take a pill and get well. Shock the system by an overdose, or coax it by a mild, pleasant way. Dr. Pierce's pleasant pellets are the mild means. They work effectively, without pain, and leave the system strong. One, little, sugar-coated pellet is enough, although a whole vial costs but 25 cents.

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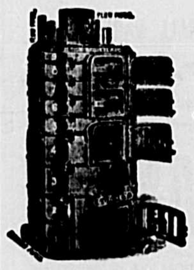

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[Special Correspondence.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The sermon delivered by Chaplain Butler at the funeral of Senator Plumb in the senate chamber last week did not please me, and I am going to preach one of my own. My text is presidential ambition. The assemblage is a notable and inspiring one. Surely if a man can ever preach he can do so before an audience like this. It is not often that we get together in one hall the men who represent all the various branches of our big government. Now we have them in a bunch, where one setting of the mental microscope brings every one of them and the function represented by each within the scope of our analytic philosophy. The president and his cabinet are nearest. Immediately behind them, solemn and picturesque, are the justices of the supreme court. Next are the members of the diplomatic corps—the Christians, the Goths, the heathen and the vandals—and in the extreme rear the members of the house of representatives.

TWO GREAT MEN AT A FUNERAL.

On the other side of the chamber are the senators of the United States. As we survey this assemblage of the most important and influential men of our public service—this huddling together of the sum and product of the political ambition and activity of a people much given to politics—many thoughts dance before one's eyes and jostle each other for consideration. It is a sad moment, and one must be sober if not reverential, and yet I cannot avoid recording at this instant one result of my survey of this sea of famous faces. It is this—that in all this gathering of the representative men of our country there is just one red headed man—one poor, lone red head, whose carmine locks shine sadly conspicuous. Every other head is merely light or brown or dark or gray or bald. Bald heads are everywhere. There are more bald heads than gray ones.

Within a few feet of the head of the coffin sit two of the most famous citizens of this republic. President Harrison and Secretary Blaine sit side by side, though in the waiting moments, during which others converse or whisper, these two are silent. All through the services Secretary Blaine sits with his head turned one side or bent forward, his arms clasped across his breast. More than half the time his eyes are closed. I would give a good deal to know what he is thinking of. He does not look well. His skin is colorless and lifeless; his eyes are not as bright or fascinating as they once were, and his manner is weak and just a little tremulous. He seems asleep, but no doubt is preoccupied. Perhaps he is thinking of the days in which he sat as a member on this floor, then in his prime, strong, eloquent, invincible. Perhaps even now, notwithstanding his impaired health, he is dreaming of more worlds to conquer. When Chaplain Butler drawls out in his monotonous way the words, "Remember that it is but a span between life and death," it seems to me that I can feel a wave of introspection go over this distinguished audience—a score of old men are thinking, "Will it be my turn next?" Mr. Blaine is not the only one who opens his eyes involuntarily and lets escape a deep sigh.

In fancy this casket, flower covered, resting here before the vice president and the speaker of the house who are sitting side by side in the place of the former, seems to me the flame of ambition. This dead mortal has been flitting about it for twenty years or more, and at last it has drawn him in and destroyed him twenty years before his time. These living mortals, scores of them, are flitting about it, too, and their turn will come sooner or later. I do not wish to be sensational, but the men nearest the funeral pyre, the president and the secretary of state, have faces pale and blanched as if the heat of the flame had already dried up their hearts. Perhaps every man in the gallery notes the pallid, deadlike features of both Blaine and Harrison. Serving the public in exalted station is life destroying, heart burning. Neither the president nor his great premier looks like a man who is assured of a dozen good years before him. The same is true of some of the members of the cabinet. Though not so much disturbed by ambition, their faces are white, their eyelids heavy.

There is little or no color in the supreme court. Here again working for the people appears to have taken the blood out of those who have offered themselves upon the altar. The chief justice is thinner and drier than he was two or three years ago, and apparently smaller. Justice Field, who has served on the bench more than a third of a century, is almost desiccated. Lamar, who sits by the hour with his head in his hand, is a sort of ghost of a man. Blatchford resembles a mummy with a lot of living brains left in it. Bradley is an intellectual manikin. Only Gray and Harlan of the old members of the court have their blood pumps in successful operation, and Harlan is overcharged with the fluid—so full of it that he is pink from the ends of his fingers to the apex of his bald head. The new men, Brewer and Brown, now looking like Roman senators—clean shaven, clear cut, bright eyed and wholesome—will soon become mummified in the service of the people like the rest of them.

What a contrast between the cabinet and the supreme court and the men of the diplomatic corps! Our foreign gentlemen have a great deal of color. They have in the aggregate very small intellectual responsibility or worriment. It is not wear and tear of brain that bothers them. They live to live—to eat, to drive, to ride, to dance, to flirt. Few mummies here, and much color and life and open eyed curiosity as to the decayed specimens of manhood before them. These society statesmen, these lawn tennis players, appear to wonder what is the matter with your Americans who go to pieces so fast and look so old while yet so young. The attendance of diplomats is very large. It always is on a ceremonial occasion. The representatives of the foreign governments may be depended upon to be on hand, no matter who else fails or what betides. Why? Curiosity. To them this is the most interesting country on the face of the earth. It is a source of continual wonderment to them. They find it difficult to understand our people and our institutions.

The senate and the house of representatives, which are farthest from the flame of ambition which the tomb of poor Plumb typifies, are motley. Here are the young and the old, the grave and the gay, the frizzled and the fresh picked. Here only do we find public men direct from the public, with the clothes, the manners and the sincerity of the people themselves. Among this throng are scores of bright faced, lusty, hearty, wholesome specimens of American manhood. How long before the presidential fever or some other form of the dread disease of ambition will seize upon them, too, and drag them down to living mummification or the step beyond—that which Plumb has just taken?

It is not generally known that during the last three years of his life Senator Plumb was secretly aspiring to the presidency—a worthy ambition, though so often a fatal one. As I look at the flowers upon the bier, and inhale the fragrance rising from them, I look about the senate chamber and note all the disappointed presidential ambitions which are in sight. There are a great many. At first, naturally, the eye falls upon General Harrison. He alone of all the men in the assemblage ever reached the summit to which he aspired to climb, and he reached it only after some years of waiting. Now he is in the throes of another period of alternating fear and hope, far more trying than the first—the anxious days in which a president seeks to pierce the unknowable for a hint as to whether he shall be able to win the sweet vindication of re-election.

What could one not write about the presidential ambition of the man who sits beside him? The one word "Blaine" suggests more of political drama, political tragedy, than any other name in our history, not excepting Lincoln, Garfield or Henry Clay. Let your mind group together 1876, 1880, 1884, 1888 and the present as a preliminary to 1892, as applied to the political fortunes of this prematurely old man. And at this moment, as he sits within the scrutiny of all the chief men of the government, half asleep, painfully introspective, sadly pallid and pitifully weak, the whisper goes around that he has another presidential nomination within his grasp, and that he is waiting to see if he has strength enough to hold it before he decides to seize. Considering the tension of the average public life, and remembering how the strain of a career of great ambition and bitter disappointment sears and burns and ossifies, is it any wonder that Mr. Blaine said to a friend a few nights ago, "I feel that I am growing old and that I lived a life of trouble?"

Suppose Blaine shall ultimately decide that his fingers are too weak to reach out for the prize that dangles within reach—are there other men here who would like to take that which he passes by? Many of them. Over to the left, tall, somber, growing just a trifle thin and peaked, and with his black locks just beginning to fray out in gray ends, sits John Sherman, the Nestor of American public life. He has had his days of ambition and his dark nights of disappointments too. To all appearances he has been nearer the fire than any one except Blaine, but has suffered little. In front of him is Cullom, who looks like that other Illinoisan whose ambition led him a quarter of a century ago to a martyr's grave—Cullom, who a year or two since held the hand of the dying Logan, and as he saw the agony of death combined with the agony of a fruitless ambition in his dying friend's eye, determined that this ambition should never, no, never take possession of him. This same Cullom is now flitting nearer and nearer to the pitiless flame.

There are still others who now or in times past have been brought more or less within the circle of danger, some to escape, others to linger without getting much nearer, and a few, like Gorman, of Maryland, and Palmer, of Illinois, to approach nearer and nearer with the passing of every minute. Among these might be mentioned Senators Hawley, Carlisle, Gray, Hiscock, McPherson and Stanford. One senatorial seat is unoccupied. When its owner makes his appearance in the chamber we shall have a distinguished addition to our list—Senator Hill, of New York.

Speaking of tragedy, as the pallbearers take up the bier and carry the mortal remains of Plumb from the senate chamber, a man who knew the dead senator very well tells me a story which was first related to him by Plumb himself. At the outbreak of the war Plumb was a private in the Eleventh Kansas regiment, which for a time had a sort of roving commission in Arkansas and northern Louisiana. One night the regiment was encamped in a thicket, and in the gray of the morning a small band of Confederates moved up and camped in the open space near by without discovering the presence of the enemy in the woods. The company of which Plumb was a member chanced to be nearest the edge of the thicket, and its captain passed a whispered order to his men to prepare their guns for the firing of a volley.

A DRAMATIC INCIDENT.

One of the Confederates was assigned to each of the Federal soldiers, and the orders were that at the signal all were to fire simultaneously, each to bring down his man. The Confederate soldier assigned to Mr. Plumb was a tall, handsome fellow, who, as soon as the halt was made by his command, pulled from his pocket a letter, evidently from the loved ones at home, and was engaged reading it when the fatal signal came. The report from forty guns broke the stillness, and when the smoke had cleared away every one of the Confederates was seen lying upon the ground, dead or mortally wounded. The tall, handsome soldier with the letter in his hand was shot through the breast, and the letter, which he still held, was covered with his blood.

"That is the only incident of my army life which I regret," said Senator Plumb, in telling the story to his friend. "I was young and reckless then and naturally obeyed orders. If I had it to do over again I would have fired my piece in the air and suffered the consequences of disobedience. When I come to die I want to go as that victim of mine did, quickly and without any fuss about it." ROBERT GRAVES.

WALT WHITMAN.

The Good Gray Poet and His Fame—Some Stories About Him.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Forty years ago Walt Whitman was more popular in New York city than he has been of late. His literary fame has been growing since that time, so that he is now one of the Americans awarded by foreign critics a place among the classics; but while his fame has extended, he has been obliged by reason of disease, and also partly because of poverty, to live a life of retirement in Camden, so that excepting to a few his personal qualities are unknown.

Whitman was one of that remarkable group of delightful but careless, entertaining, but almost irresponsible men and women who were known as the Bohemians. Only two or three of them remain. Mr. William Winter, the dramatic critic of The Tribune, then a long haired and poetically inclined young man, is still with us, having fulfilled the promise of literary excellence which he gave in those early days. Mr. Caleb Dunn, who was then thought one of the brightest of the younger members of that coterie, is once in awhile seen about town with the same cheery spirit which he then manifested, although he has eked out a scanty living by veritable hack writing. Certain novels and tales of adventure which have been issued over another name are the work of Mr. Dunn, who has written for bread while the alleged author sought only notoriety.

Whitman was not a constant member of these informal gatherings. He was a very warm friend of Harry Clapp and of Fitz-james O'Brien, and he had great respect for the abilities of Ada Isaacs Menken, and grieved bitterly when she married John C. Heenan, the prize fighter. He regarded Fitzjames O'Brien as the prince of story tellers, comparable only with Edgar A. Poe, who died only a few years before the Bohemians came upon the stage. Clapp was always a mystery to Whitman. He understood why a lad born on the sand dunes of Nantucket island should possess a sensitive and dreamy literary quality, and he once said of Clapp that the ocean was always ringing in his ears, like the mystic echoes of the seashore. But Whitman could not understand why a wit so brilliant, a philosopher so keen though often so flippant, and a master of English prose so consummate as Clapp was should be absolutely without literary aim excepting that of the moment. Almost all of the other Bohemians had lofty literary aspirations, though only one or two of them ever realized in any measure their ambition.

But though Whitman was friendly with and in a measure was one of the Bohemians, yet he had friendships in the more cultivated and dignified literary circles. The poet Fitz-Greene Halleck, whose fame now seems utterly eclipsed, but whose fame was very high in his day, was one of the first to detect Whitman's peculiar literary gift and to encourage him in the development of it. N. P. Willis, who is now almost forgotten, but who in his day was esteemed the prince of litterateurs and to some extent the arbiter of literary fame, took a great fancy to young Whitman, and used to declare that he had the makings of a great poet. Donald G. Mitchell who had won a splendid literary repute with his "Reveries of a Bachelor," Park Godwin and that brilliant set which conducted Putnam's Magazine to literary fame, and it must be said to financial ruin, patronized young Whitman, and great were the predictions which were then made of him.

It was about this time that the story was spread abroad that the coming American poet was the driver of one of the Broadway stages, and this story, strangely enough, did more to give Whitman notoriety than his poems. How much truth there was in it has never been clearly established. Whitman has never denied nor admitted that he was for a time driver of a Broadway stage, but there have been circumstantial anecdotes told of his appearance on the stage box, his long hair tossed back with the breeze, his big brimmed felt hat concealing half his face, as he, with strong arms, guided his team through the intricate mazes of Broadway traffic.

Following on the heels of this story came another which attracted even wider attention to Whitman. His first book of poems, unconventional, peculiar and strange, had appeared, and soon after an enthusiastic review of them was printed in one of the English magazines by a distinguished English critic. The article attracted attention to Whitman, and he was taken up by a British cult and made much of. Then this story was told. It was said that the English critic in conversation with a literary friend had declared that criticism was humbug. A wager was made that this critic could not prove it. He said that he would write an essay on a book of meaningless nothings called poetry recently issued by an American named Whitman, and that as a result of his essay he would compel Whitman to be taken up, although he was a literary humbug.

The critic kept his word and won his wager, so the story went, and the fraud he practiced was not discovered until some months afterward. Whether such a thing as this ever occurred or not the story was very widely circulated, and in connection with the other one that Whitman was a Broadway stage driver and a member of the Bohemian set gave him notoriety and attracted a great deal of attention to his poems. It was not long after this that he went to Camden to live, and his exciting and Bohemian career in New York was at an end.

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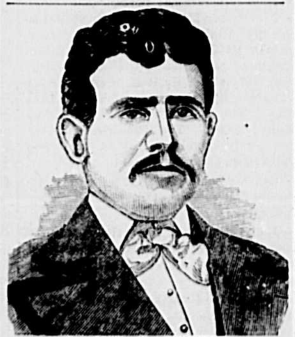

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EDWARD BLANCHARD,

late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased,

Greeting:

Whereas, a certain instrument, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has presented to said Court, for Probate, by Roxana Redman of Lowell and Harriet A. Blanchard of Weymouth, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them the executrixs therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the second Wednesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this Citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Weymouth Gazette, published at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, judge of said Court, this ninth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

36 38 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT

TO the Next-of-Kin, Creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

REUBEN LOUD,

late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Reuben Loud, junior, of Weymouth, in the county of Norfolk, without giving surety upon his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the first Wednesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper printed at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days at least, before said court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

TO the Next of Kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

THOMAS B. NORTON,

of Weymouth, in said county, an insane person,

Greeting:

Whereas, Royal Norton the guardian of said ward, has presented his petition for license to sell at private sale, certain real estate therein specified, of his said ward for investment.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Dedham, in said county, on the first Wednesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper printed at Weymouth, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court,

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this tenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

36 38 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

TO the Next-of-Kin, Creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

MARINDA HUNT,

late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to David Hunt of Boston, in the county of Suffolk.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Dedham, in said county, on the first Wednesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this Citation by publishing the same once a week for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

36 38 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Sheriff's Sale.

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WEYMOUTH, November 21, 1891.

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at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the Weymouth Post-office, in Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, all the right, title, and interest which Jotham Salisbury, junior, especially had on the date hereof, not exempt by law from attachments or levy on execution in and to the following described pieces or parcels of real estate, viz.: A certain lot or parcel of land situated in the easterly part of Weymouth aforesaid, bounded northerly by land of the Old Colony Railroad Company, southerly by Wharf street, westerly by East street; containing sixty-eight square rods, more or less, being the same premises conveyed to Jotham Salisbury, junior, by Annie L. Bigelow, by her deed dated March 16, 1886, and recorded with Norfolk County deeds, lib. 546, fol. 91; also, all the right, title, and interest which said Jotham Salisbury, junior, especially had on the date hereof in and to another lot or parcel of land situated in said Weymouth, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Southerly by Commercial street, easterly by land set off by deed of partition of the heirs-at-law and devisees of Isaac Reed, late of said Weymouth, dated Nov. 6, 1879, and recorded with Norfolk County deeds, lib. 515, fol. 161, to Mary Holbrook, northerly by land of the Old Colony Railroad Company, and westerly by Wharf street, together with all rights to the well standing upon the said set off premises, as set forth in said deed of partition, being the same premises conveyed to Jotham Salisbury, junior, by Aaron B. Parker and others, by deed dated April 6, 1886, and recorded with Norfolk County deeds, lib. 586, fol. 379. The record or legal title to the above described lots of land now standing in the name of Everett C. Bumpus so far as is known to me.

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As white as snow-fall's feathery fold
Thy petals are, with crown of gold;
As green as May's first emerald gleam
Thy leaves, that, traced with crystals, seem
Some lace-work of the frost-folk's skill.
I marvel that the winter's chill
Mars not this beauty fair of thine,
That seems so frail, yet is divine.

O joy divine, that out of gloom
Some flower of love and hope may bloom!

EMILY SELINGER.

For the Gazette.

MARGUERY'S LETTER.

BOSTON, Jan. 6, 1891.

The old comedy season is wonderfully successful at the Boston Museum but no more so than is warranted by the fine rendition of the various plays.

For the remainder of the week Sheridan's famous School for Scandal will be given, with Mr. Barron as Sir Peter and Miss Clark as Lady Teazle, excepting on Saturday evening when Robertson's Caste will be presented. It is announced that Boucicault's famous Shangraun is now in rehearsal for an early appearance, Manager Field having purchased the right for a limited period.

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"Watchwords from John Boyle O'Reilly" edited by Katherine E. Conway, and published by J. G. Cupples, Back Bay bookstore, 250 Boylston St., is a dainty little volume, beautifully illustrated, and just the size for casual reading and reference, or to find gems from the poet, when one has not time to look over the larger volume of his works.

Not less valuable than these extracts is the estimate of his work by his friend and colleague in journalistic and literary work, Miss Katherine E. Conway. Herself a poet, with the finer instinct to detect what is best, she has gathered in this book some of the ablest thoughts of her dead friend.

Her book is a fitting addition, or, better still, a prelude to the longer "Life" and should be owned by everyone who can appreciate the noble character as well as the genius of one of the greatest of his race. For it is not alone as the poet that posterity will honor John Boyle O'Reilly, but as the loyal true-hearted patriot, not to his native land alone, but wherever suffering humanity needed a champion there was Boyle O'Reilly found, ever ready to do and to suffer. Loving his own race and creed with all an Irishman's warm hearted passion, yet his dauntless spirit overleaped all barriers of nation, race or religion, and recognized only the needs of the wronged and oppressed.

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For a nobler end than the glory of trade.
For the youth he mourned with an endless pity,
Who were cast like snow on the streets of the city.
He was weak, maybe; but he lost no friend;
Who loved him once, loved on to the end.
He mourned all selfish and shrewd endeavor,
But he never injured a weak one—never.
When censure was passed, he was kindly dumb;
He was never so wise but a fault would come;
He was never so old that he failed to enjoy
The games and the dreams he had loved when a boy.
He erred, and was sorry; but never drew
A trusting heart from the pure and true.
When friends look back from the years to be,
God grant they may say such things of me.

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In the Globe of Sunday, Bud Brier gave the story of Bishop Brooks' tending the baby as entirely new, and says it has never before seen the light of publicity. "Bud" must live decidedly *sub rosa*, not to have seen that tale in print. I gave it to the Gazette last June, and had seen it before, as well as since in various journals and in many forms, but the substance was always the same.

MARGUERY.

Mr. Howells' New Work.

The announcement that Mr. Howells will leave Harper's Magazine, to take editorial charge of the Cosmopolitan, on March 1st, calls attention to the process of building up the staff of a great magazine. Probably in no monthly has the evolution been so distinctly under the eyes of the public as in the case of the Cosmopolitan. The first step after its editorial control was assumed by Mr. John Brisben Walker, was to add to it Edward Everett Hale, who took charge of a department called "Social Problems," subjects concerning which the greatest number of people are thinking today. Mr. Hale, who is a student, a fair minded man, a thorough American and a man of broad sympathies, has filled this position in a way to attract the attention not only of this country, but of leading European journals. Some months later, a department was established called "The Review of Current Events." To take charge of this, a man was needed who should be famaliar not only with the great events of the past thirty years, but who knew personally the leading men of both the United States and Europe who could interpret motives and policies. Murat Halstead accepted this position with the distinct understanding that his monthly review should be philosophical and never partisan. The next step in the history of the Cosmopolitan, was the placing of the review of the intellectual movement of the month in the hands of Mr. Brander Matthews, who for some time has been recognized as one of the two or three ablest critics in the United States.

Finally came the acceptance of the editorship conjointly with Mr. Walker, by Mr. Wm. Dean Howells. Mr. Howells, who is recognized universally as the foremost American of letters, upon the expiration of his contract with Harper Brothers, on the first of March will take in hand the destinies of a magazine, which promises to exercise a share of influence with the reading classes of the United States. His entire services will be given to the Cosmopolitan, and everything he writes will appear in that magazine during the continuance of his editorship.

Mr. E. C. Derby, a subscriber at Riverside, Cal., when remitting the money for a renewal of his subscription last week, wrote as follows:—"We had a very cold night here, last night. The thermometer went down to 21 degrees above. Expect to lose half the orange crop, say $500,000 worth or more, but still we are not discouraged."

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An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this receipt, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y. 13 1yr

The Hibernian's Ball.

The eighth annual concert and ball of Division No. 6, A. O. H., was held at Clapp's hall last Friday evening, and was a grand success both socially and financially. The hall was filled to overflowing. The concert was given by the Nilsson Quartette of Boston, Eva Baker, 1st soprano, Marie E. Weale, 2d soprano, Ella C. Luce, 1st alto, and Lizzie W. Cushing, 2d alto, assisted by Wm. H. White of Weymouth, basso, Prof. L. T. Ryerson of Boston, humorist, and M. Nellie Hart of Weymouth, piano soloist and accompanist. Every number was loudly encored. Overture, orchestra; song, "Sparrows' Twitter," quartette; contralto solo, "Winter Lullaby," Ella C. Luce; humorous selections, Prof. L. L. Ryerson; basso solo, "Path of Duty," W. H. White; piano solo, M. Nellie Hart; song, "Within a little Wood," quartette; humorous selections, Prof. L. L. Ryerson soprano solo, "Could I?" Eva L. Baker; basso solo, "Love's Arrow," W. H. White; duet, "Over the Fields of Clover," Eva L. Baker and Ella C. Luce; piano solo, M. Nellie Hart; humorous selections, Prof. L. L. Ryerson; song, "Ave Maria", quartette.

Immediately after the concert the floor was cleared for dancing, which was indulged in until a late hour, Tirrell's Orchestra furnishing the music. At one o'clock an excellent turkey supper was served. The grand march was led by President, P. E. Corridan and Miss Mary Griffin, followed by about one hundred couples. The floor was in charge of President Corridan, assisted by W. H. Condrick and the following aids, J. M. Coyle, E. J. McCue, B. Ford, John Norton, T. E. Riley, Thos. F. Ahearn, W. F. Callahan, H. M. Ford, W. H. Morrill, Geo. F. Briggs, M. H. Donovan, and James A. Burns. The following reception committee was kept busy receiving and caring for the guests, John F. Dwyer, John V. Scollard, J. E. Donovan, C. F. Condrick, D. A. Donovan, O. L. Greelish, A. McCue, W. F. Rooney, J. J. Downs, and Wm. Ford.

Among those noticed on the floor were Messrs. Wm. Buckley, Frank Rudderham, C. Lynch, J. H. Coffey, J. F. Gearan, W. H. Hersey, W. H. Galvin, J. W. Ahern, Wm. Cronin, F. Coleran, Thos. Kilfoy, Geo. Ford, Maurice O'Connell, Thos. O'Connell, P. Callahan, Barney Rodden, W. H. Hayes, M. Dowd, Lewis Barney, John Donovan, Daniel Hartshorn, Henry Hart, J. Sullivan, Michael Corridan, Wm. Whall, Misses Ida M. Callahan, Carrie Hart, Kate Hart, Mary L. Hart, Sarah Lonergan, Hannah Whelan, Lizzie Stack, Nellie Whelan, Minnie Kelley, Kate Cleary, Annie Cronin, Nora Bourke, Clara White, Mary Wallace, Agnes Quillen, Miss Buckley, Louise Torrey, Kate Smith, Annie Smith, Alice Boyle, Grace Ford, Eliza Callahan, Nellie Callahan, Grace Griffin, Mary Fitzgerald, Mary Bresnehan, Abbie Trask, Mary Burns, Kate Gloster, Kate Cronin, Charlotte Loring, Mary Conners, Mr. and Mrs. John Liberty, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Daley, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Haley, Mr. and Mrs. James Dowd.

PRINTER'S INK TELLS.

Aunt Abby's Name and Features Kept Constantly Before the Public.

"I have travelled all over New England, at any rate as far east as Bangor, as far west as Pittsfield, and I cannot find a city, town or village in which there is not some paper or posters setting forth the attraction of the 'County Fair,'" said a well-known railroad man while chatting in the green room at the Park Theatre.

"Well, that isn't to be wondered at," said one of the "County Fair" boomers, who happened to be in the room at the time.

"We have been in Boston since Sept. 3. Of course we did some advertising a couple of weeks in advance. In fact, we have been advertising the 'County Fair' for about 20 weeks, although this is the 18th week of the run in Boston."

Then the conversation turned on to the amount of work necessary in the theatrical business to properly place before the public such an attraction as Mr. Burgess has presented this season.

After a little persuasion the business manager's books were brought out, and a little figuring was indulged in. It demonstrated that no other attraction ever presented on a Boston stage had been so lavishly advertised as has the "County Fair" for the past 20 weeks.

A grand total of the amount of printing put upon the boards and walls of New England by "The County Fair" is a staggerer. One million two hundred thousand sheets of paper have been posted in Boston and other cities of New England during the run of "The County Fair" at the Park.

Over 3200 frames, containing pictures of Neil Burgess, or of Aunt Abigail, or both, have been placed in shop windows and at railway stations throughout New England. Over 1,000,000 copies of what is called the American Dramatic Review, an eight-page paper containing a comprehensive review of the "County Fair" and handsomely illustrated have been distributed in the households of this section.

A little "A B C" book, one of the cleverest advertising schemes ever devised by an amusement manager, has been put in the hands of every child in or about Boston, and in fact distributed to the number of 2,000,000 through the cities and towns of New England.

This work, as one of Mr. Burgess' managers admitted, costs a heap of money. The figures just given go far enough to prove the commercial importance of a great theatrical enterprise like the "County Fair."

The cost of printing and distributing such a vast amount of pictoral advertising is borne by the Park Theatre and by Mr. Burgess.

It has kept constantly employed for a period of over four months all the bill posters of the New England States. It has given to the express and railroad companies a vast revenue.

The writer was curious to know something about the amount of money expended with the newspapers, as this department of advertising has been conspicuously prominent in the work done by the advertising force of the "County Fair."

Neither Mr. Burgess' manager, Mr. David Towers, nor Frank Richards, who is responsible for the newspaper notoriety obtained by the "County Fair" would "give up" any figures as to the amount of money expended in that direction, but the writer is able to state that the newspaper advertising of the "County Fair" has been the most lavish ever seen or heard of in Boston.

While the writer was looking over his notes Aunt Abby rushed into the office and said: "Boys, what an immense house tonight! Printer's ink tells the story, doesn't it?"

And Aunt Abby was right: printer's ink, used systematically, liberally and judiciously, has been the greatest aid that Mr. Burgess' picture of New England life could ask for.

La Grippe.

Persons suffering from la grippe are speedily and permanently cured by Humphrey's Specifics Nos. 1 and 7. Number 1 allays the fever, pain and inflammation, while No. 7 cures the cough, hoarseness and sore throat.

THE COUNTY FAIR.

Like the breeze from a meadow of newly-mown hay—
Like the tinkling of bells—the far lowing of kine—
Come the scenes that this drama's clear outlines portray,
The sounds blent with themes of the quaint and the gay,
Where the breaths of wild blossoms and woodlands combine.

They come with allurements of sweet rural air,
That give fragrance to joys and a freshness to charm
Of the glees and the dances and drolleries there—
Of the glad Husking Bee and the famed County Fair—
And kindly Aunt Abby on Rockbottom Farm.

Too radiant and rare are such growths of the scene—
Too flowerless our natures and sterile our age,
That fruitage so glowing, with fancies so green,
Should fail ere our mem'ries can garner and glean
Or fade where they stand on the field of our stage.

HENRY O'MEARA.

Union Literary Circle.

Fourteen members of the U. L. C. met at the home of Miss Annie F. Loud, Tuesday evening, Dec. 29. The early part of the evening was devoted to a discussion of the history of Weymouth, the subject being a continuation of that of previous meetings. Several excellent papers were read by different members, upon the various colonies that attempted at different times to locate in our town.

Immediately after the short recess which was taken at the close of the talk on the history Annie F. Loud, organist and J. Herman Loud, pianist, rendered some very fine duets.

Miss Bagley read a very interesting paper on the Old Iron Works of Braintree as established in 1645. Time did not permit of the reading of the article on the Early History of Braintree and it was postponed until the next meeting which will occur Tuesday evening, Jan. 12, at the residence of Miss Anna H. Tower. Quotations from Owen Meredith.

TURF TOPICS.

Mike Dwyer is said to own an Onondaga yearling colt that has shown a half in 48¼ seconds.

Lord Arlington has the proud distinction of having bred the two most costly thoroughbreds in the world, St. Blaise and Common.

Budd Doble will not turn out his trotters at Terre Haute this winter, believing that more harm than good is done by following that practice.

Pulsifer is credited with the declaration that Tenny will be used only in weight for age races, and will not be nominated for the big spring handicaps.

The driver of Cheyenne, the famous blind trotter, talks to him continually in a race, and it is said the confidence of the horse in his driver's voice is wonderful.

In Budd Doble's stable at Terre Haute, Ind., are Nancy Hanks, 2:09; Graylight, 2:16½; Delmarch, 2:11½; McDoel, 2:15½; Dave Wilson, 2:23½; National, 2:25, and Pilot H, 2:29½.

John A. Goldsmith, the famous trainer, says of Arion, 2:10¾, "He is surely a phenomenon and if he keeps on improving there is no reason why in his developed state he should not closely approach the two minute mark."

The late Alden Goldsmith declared that he had carefully measured the stride of Gloster when going at full speed and found it to be twenty-three feet. If a horse could take two strides of twenty-three feet each in a second and keep it up for a mile his time would be 1:54 4-5.

Posing for Photographs.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Chapters might be written about the new photographic poses. The dancers perhaps show the greatest originality of conception, and the marvelous attitudes they strike and which are faithfully caught by the camera amuse and attract the loungers and promenaders by the hour. One famous skirt dancer has secured fresh recognition by a series of photographs, entitled "Going—going—gone," in which she is disappearing in her accordion skirts.

The actresses are also on the constant alert for new poses, and tragedy queen and leader of the coryphees alike are continually shedding new light on this interesting subject. In a well known photographic shop there are to be seen for the asking pictures of a certain young actress evidently about to take a bath, as clad in a single flimsy garment she is troubling the pool of a fountain with one white foot.

And the society women are not so far behind, though their photographic poses are usually within conventional bounds. Not the same, however, can be said of their drawing room poses. One brilliant social queen, it is said, receives her callers clad in diaphanous draperies, with a jade bangle about one slim ankle and extended full length upon a pile of cushions on the floor.

The Newest Tint in Household Decoration.

The love of green is typical of a subtle artistic temperament, according to Decorator and Furnisher, which says that green is now one of the leading tints in household and table adornment. The daintiest and freshest of boudoirs are fitted out in pale green and white muslin hangings and couches and canopies, after the style of the room in which Mme. Recamier once lived and dreamed of conquests past and to come. Green dinners and lunches are a refreshing change from the more brilliant floral and beribboned feasts, and the latest outcome of this higher education in the ethics of colors is that the fernery, with its cool verdure and mosses, is to supplant the conservatory of tropical bloom in the household.

How to Arrange Crape Trimming Properly.

Crape should be cut on the cross of the goods, not on the bias or lengthwise. A band or foundation of black cashmere is laid over a crinoline and tacked on the under side. The crape is laid over the cashmere rather loosely and fastened down on the under side over the cashmere, and then the whole is catstitched on to the garment. Not one dressmaker in ten knows exactly how to do it, but the art consists in cutting it in one way; on the straight cross of the goods.

How to Deal with Gossips

Change the subject gradually to something that deals with principles rather than persons.

"The doctor said my faith in Johnson's Anodyne Liniment was correct," writes a lady friend.

Is He Your Friend?

Is the family doctor your friend? How many unnecessary visits does he make you? How many days does he keep you sick that you ought to be at your work, and so doing how many hard-earned dollars does he extort from you. Would it not be better for you to place your trust in Sulphur Bitters? Try them, they will be a true friend. Saving you a long sickness and a large bill, which you have hitherto paid to some avaricious doctor.—Editor State Journal.

Guaranteed Cure for La Grippe.

We authorize our advertised druggists to sell you Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, upon this condition. If you are afflicted with la grippe and will use this remedy according to directions, giving it a fair trial, and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. We make this offer, because of the wonderful success of Dr. King's New Discovery during last season's epidemic. Have heard of no case in which it failed. Try it. Trial bottles free at the drug stores of A. M. Bachelder & Co., Weymouth; E. G. Cutter, East Weymouth. Large size 50c. and $1.00.

Big, but bad—the old-fashioned pill. Bad to take, and bad to have taken. Inefficient, too. It's only temporary relief you can get from it.

Try something better. With Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets the benefit is lasting. They cleanse and regulate the liver, stomach and bowels. Taken in time, they *prevent* trouble. In any case, they *cure* it.

And they cure it *easily*; they're mild and gentle, but thorough and effective. There's no disturbance to the system, diet or occupation. One tiny, sugar-coated Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic. Sick and Bilious Headache, Constipation, Indigestion, Bilious Attacks, and all derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels are promptly relieved and permanently cured.

They're purely vegetable, perfectly harmless, the smallest, and the easiest to take—but besides that, they're the *cheapest* pill you can buy, for they're *guaranteed* to give satisfaction, or your money is returned. You pay only for the good you get. This is true only of Dr. Pierce's medicines.

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HENRY A. NASH, President.
CHAS. T. CRANE, Treasurer.
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ANDREW J. BATES 6
Bank Hours.—From 1 to 5 o'clock p. m., on every business day; and from 7 to 9 o'clock on Monday evenings.
Deposits placed on interest on the first Monday of January, April, July and October.
Office, Commercial Street, Weymouth Landing.

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Jackson Sq., East Weymouth.
C. W. RICE
Has constantly on hand a full line of first quality
Beef, Pork, Lard, Ham,
Canned and Bottled Goods.
Fresh Vegetables of all Kinds
IN THEIR SEASON.
Fresh Eggs and Choice Butter,
A SPECIALTY.
☞He hopes by fair prices and square dealings to merit a share of public patronage.

TO LET.
Houses and Tenements on Washington, Broad Walnut Avenue and Clapp Streets.
Apply to
Jan. 16 tf WM. H. CLAPP, Front Street.

Agents for the Malden Steam Laundry.
PERFECT WORK GUARANTEED.
Goods sent Tuesday A. M., returned Friday.
A. M. BACHELDER & CO

TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE
—AT—
East Weymouth Savings Bank.
OFFICE HOURS, 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 p. m
At all other hours, at Residence on Water Street.
JOHN A. RAYMOND, Town Clerk.

DRESSMAKING.
Dress Cutting by the
Mdm. TOBY SYSTEM,
Perfect Fit Guaranteed.
Mrs. T. LEWIS, 81 Madison Street.
24 tf

JOHN W. BATES,
No. 6 Commercial Street,
EAST WEYMOUTH.
Real Estate Sales and Mortgages negotiated. Rents and bills collected. Being a Justice of the Peace, having a seal and being registered in Washington, claims for Pensions, affidavits and vouchers for payment, can be executed by me, thus saving the trouble of attending court with two witnesses. 28 tf

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A BREAKFAST NECESSITY
THE GERM AND GLUTEN OF WHEAT
NEITHER STEAMED NOR PARCHED
DELICIOUS IN FLAVOR
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For Mush, Gems, Puddings, Meal Cakes, and More
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FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1892.

Ohio is to be congratulated upon her recovery from the Foraker fever and the return to her old love John Sherman.

Speaker Barrett has demonstrated the fact that he is an exceedingly wide awake young man and one who "gets there." His re-election in November from Melrose by a triumphant majority in spite of determined opposition even within his own party, and now his unanimous re-election as Speaker of the House for a fourth term, cause him to loom up as the most conspicuous candidate of his party for governor next fall. Mr. Barrett can undoubtedly have the nomination if he wants it.

No age of the world's history has seen so many inventions and appliances for preventing and extinguishing fires as the present. Many who are now living, have seen the birth and development of the steamer, the hydrant, the automatic sprinkler and numerous other appliances for putting out fires. Yet the past year has been an unparalleled one in its losses by fire, the grand total in this country being $150,000,000. So serious is this matter that there is talk of increasing rates of insurance, as the companies say they can not insure at the old rates if such heavy losses are to be incurred.

Texas has the honor of sending a young man to Congress—Representative Bailey—who has suggested a reform that is worthy of being adopted. It is that the House committees be in future selected by a party caucus, instead of by the Speaker. The Senate has always found the caucus method of selecting committees satisfactory. The Speaker now wields a too autocratic power through his ability to control and direct legislation by means of the make-up of the committees without the concurrence of which no measure, however important it may be, can be even got before the House. It is a greater power than any one man should wield in this country and a change would be for the better.

We have Waited and still we Wait.

Will Weymouth ever have an electric railroad? It is said that all good things come to those who wait. Surely patience is a virtue which our residents must well cultivate when they dwell upon this topic. A connection between the different parts of the town by a street railroad is absolutely essential to its prosperity and is the only thing that can ever bind our villages so closely together as to still the voices that periodically call for division. And yet to all appearances progress in this direction is at a stand-still. The pressing question of the hour with us is—how can we secure tangible results in this matter?

The Significance of the Inaugurals.

Twenty-five cities, large and small, throughout the commonwealth, inaugurated new city governments on Monday. In some instances it was the inauguration of the old board, wholly or in part, but whether new or old the inaugural addresses afford matter for serious reflection. In most instances they contained apologies for large debts and loans in excess of legal limits.

A short extract from one of these inaugurals explains why these things are thus: "We recommend well kept and well-lighted thoroughfares, an abundant supply of pure water, excellent schools, an increased library and facilities, and a thorough system of parks."

The above are all desirable to have, but unless there is a large valuation they can not be had with a small rate of taxation, unless, as in the case of Lynn, the taxes are kept down by increasing the debt and leaving future generations to pay the bills.

Beacon Hill.

Under the Gilded Dome on Beacon Hill the year starts out with a remarkable degree of unanimity of feeling. All the animosities of the campaign seem to have been forgotten, and a quiet and almost unanimous choice of officers was the result of the opening day elections.

Pinkerton, of Worcester, will preside over the Senate and McLaughlin, of Adams, will keep the records of that body; while the venerable Edmund Dowse adds one more year to his long service as chaplain.

Barrett once more wields the gravel in the House, and Coolidge will record the doings of the same.

For Sergeant at Arms, Capt. "Jack" Adams is still on deck. Rev. D. W. Waldron, without whom the House would be lonely, is again chaplain, and for the tenth consecutive year J. J. Mahoney is in charge of the Post Office. At the table with the Governor, as councillor from this district, sits Mr. Mitchell.

A few Have it but Many Imagine it.

In this time of la grippe it is well for all to keep a brave heart and not anticipate the disease before they have it. However much truth there may be in the "mind cure" doctrine, it is not to be doubted that the mind has great influence upon the body and that continual dread of and thinking of a disease tends to hasten its coming to the individual.

Many imagine they have the grippe before they really have it and succumb to it when perhaps they have only a little cold.

The practice of calling every such attack by the name of a formidable disease is a bad one and the influence of so much talk about a disease through the papers and otherwise, upon sensitive natures can not be calculated.

Don't get frightened. Make up your mind that you won't have it and belittle its importance instead of magnifying it and the chances are that you will escape from anything more severe than an ordinary winter cold.

The Governor's Address.

Governor Russell's address yesterday was, as was to be expected from him, marked by an originality and force which gave evidence of the large amount of thought which he has given to the reforms which he thinks are needed.

Occupying a prominent place in the address and a fair share of its space were the recommendations as to enlarging the powers and responsibilities of the governor's office. It can hardly be charged that Governor Russell seeks these added powers for his own gratification for even if his recommendations were to prevail it could hardly be brought around in time for him to exercise the proposed added powers for any great length of time. He evidently makes these recommendations for what he believes to be the best good of the state and in the light of his own experience.

In his recommendation of a law that shall absolutely prevent railroad corporations from issuing free passes to legislators, he shows much courage in the face of the existing practice in that matter, but we are afraid the governor will be almost alone in his efforts to destroy the corrupt influences which surround the legislators on Beacon Hill.

The Pilgrims had La Grippe.

Whether we read home news or that which comes to us from a distance the prevailing disease, la grippe, attracts the attention oftener than any other item. It seems to be universal, not only at home but abroad. The opinion prevails that it is something new, the result of some new bacterial development, and possibly produced by the unseasonable weather which has prevailed for the past three months.

Through the kindness of Mr. G. M. Hoyt, druggist, of East Weymouth, we are permitted to copy from a work which was published more than two hundred years ago, "The New England *Memoriall*," and we learn from it that la grippe is no new thing. This book was printed in 1669 and was the first history of New England ever printed and gives a history of the Pilgrim Fathers up to the year 1668.

For the year 1650 it says:—"This Year there was more than ordinary mortality in the Country, eſpecially about Boſton, and moſtly amongſt their Children; ſince which time ſeveral diſeaſes have been in the Country more frequently than formerly; as namely, gripings in the bowels, with violent Vomiting and Purging, which hath taken away many; as alſo a diſeaſe in the Mouth and Throat which hath proved mortal to ſome in a very ſhort time; as alſo great diſtempers of Colds, etc, which ought to be awakening diſpenſations, together with others, to cauſe us to conſider and examine, whether we have not provoked the Lord with ſome general and unwonted ſins; inaſmuch as he is pleaſed to exerciſe the Country oft-times with unwonted afflictions and puniſhments."

The old book in which the above is found is much dilapidated in appearance and was once a part of the library of Benjamin Franklin, of whom Mr. Hoyt is a direct descendant. He places great value upon the book and holds it as among his dearest treasures. We hope we may be permitted to further review and make interesting extracts from it.

Obituary—Mrs. Lucy L. Blanchard.

Mrs. Lucy L. (Torrey) Blanchard, widow of the late Geo. Blanchard, a life-long resident and a member of one of the old families of the town, passed away at the age of 74 at her residence, Commercial street, at 2 o'clock Tuesday morning, after a week's illness of pneumonia. She was one of New England's brave women and after the early death of her husband exhibited great strength of character and fortitude in the hard task of supporting and bringing up her family of three boys.

Two of the sons survive her, George L., now living in La Salle, Ill., with a wife and family,—one son, Arthur, is now here—and P. Hamilton, who has been his mother's stay and support during her latter years at the old homestead.

The funeral services were held at the residence at 2 o'clock Thursday, afternoon, and were conducted by the Rev. Oliver Huckel, pastor of the Union church which had always been the church home of the deceased. A quartette consisting of Mrs. J. G. Worster, Miss H. B. Baker, Mr. E. M. Wight and Mr. O. W. Allen sang the beautiful old hymns, "Rock of Ages" and "Nearer My God to Thee." The bearers were Messrs. S. W. Gutterson, J. G. Worster, F. H. Cowing and J. W. Rand. The remains were interred in the village cemetery.

Officers for 1892.

The annual meeting of the Board of Management of the People's Institute, was held in the hall over the Union National Bank last Friday evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, T. A. Watson; vice-president, J. H. Flint; secretary and treasurer, F. H. Cowing; board of directors, T. A. Watson, J. H. Flint, F. H. Cowing, Rev. B. F. Eaton, J. J. Loud, Francis Ambler, D. J. Pierce, John W. Hart, A. P. Worthen, F. O. Wellington, Geo. W. Watson; committee on lectures and classes, Rev. O. Huckel, Rev. W. Hyde, Rev. W. L. Smith, Mrs. R. L. Hunt, Miss E. A. Clapp; committee on rooms, Mrs. T. A. Watson, Mrs. S. W. Gutterson, Miss C. F. Wentworth, Miss E. W. Sheppard, C. T. Crane; committee on membership, Rev. B. F. Eaton, Dr. W. L. Roberts, C. A. Chessman, Rev. W. Hyde, Rev. W. L. Smith, F. H. Cowing, L. H. Owen, Mrs. C. T. Crane, Miss Alice Blanchard; committee on physical culture, T. A. Watson, Mrs. T. A. Watson, Dr. W. F. Hathaway, Dr. F. P. Virgin, Dr. G. D. Bullock, Dr. G. W. Tinkham.

A Label Endorsed by the American Federation of Labor.

After two months of hard work on the part of the representatives of all the shoe making organizations, a label has been agreed upon, which any manufacturer can use by employing all Union help. The labels will be printed in sheets and will be the size of a postage stamp and are to be placed on the inside linings of boots or shoes. Efforts will be made to induce members of all labor organizations all over the country to buy no shoes without this label.

A Boston Parrot.

"Does Polly want a cracker?" asked Codling, who was trying to amuse himself while waiting for Miss South Church to descend to the parlor.

"Not any, thank you; but I'd be obliged to you for a little brown bread or a few baked beans," replied the wel' bred Boston bird.—New York Sun.

Keeping Her in Suspense.

Bingo—While I was matching that ribbon for you today in a dry goods store a man came in and threw down a bomb; there was a terrible explosion, several people were killed, and I barely escaped with my life.

Mrs. Bingo (anxiously)—You didn't lose that piece of ribbon, did you?—Cloak Review.

Let us Know.

If you are a subscriber and do not receive your Gazette regularly, we ask you to promptly inform us of every omission or delay in its arrival. tf

Every bruise, every sore muscle, should be freely bathed in Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.

The Housekeeper's Friend.

A friend in need is a friend indeed, and such a friend you will always find in Sulphur Bitters? They cured me of dyspepsia, when I had given up life in despair and was almost at death's door. They are a true friend of the sick. Mrs. R. Crayne, Hartford, Connecticut.

Good Looks.

Good looks are more than skin deep, depending upon a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver be inactive, you have a bilious look; if your stomach be disordered you have a dyspeptic look, and if your kidneys be affected you have a pinched look. Secure good health and you will have good looks. Electric Bitters is the great alterative and tonic, acts directly on these vital organs. Cures pimples, blotches, boils, and gives a good complexion. Sold at the drug stores of A. M. Bachelder & Co., Weymouth; E. G. Cutter, East Weymouth. 50c. per bottle.

Obituary—Mrs. Elizabeth Hunt Richards.

On Sunday last at 4 o'clock in the afternoon Mrs. Elizabeth H. Richards, widow of the late Elias Richards, passed quietly away at her residence after a very brief illness of la grippe.

Mrs. Richards was born in June, 1804, and was therefore at the advanced age of 87 at the time of her death. She had spent all her long life in Weymouth and was a member of one of the oldest families of New England, being a descendant in a direct line and of the seventh generation from John Alden and Priscilla of early Plymouth fame.

In 1822 she married Mr. Elias Richards with whom she passed a happy life of more than sixty years. She was the mother of six children of whom Jane E. and Lydia M., (wife of Wm. H. Chipman) had preceeded her to the higher life. Those surviving her are a son, C. Austin, residing in New York; Mrs. Eleanor F. Clapp, widow of the late A. W. Clapp; Miss Louise C. and Miss Susan H., now residing at the homestead. She also leaves a brother, Mr. Richard A. Hunt.

Mrs. Richards was in many respects a remarkable woman. She belonged to a family noted for its musical ambition and in early life she was one of the most noted singers of the vicinity, possessing, as many now living bear witness, a wonderfully pure and sweet soprano voice. She joined the choir of the Union church when eleven years old and afterwards became the leading soprano, which position she filled for many years. She was able to read and execute the most difficult music and her high notes were clear, sweet, and easily attained and held. In those days the music of the church differed essentially from that sung now. For accompaniment there were violins and double bass viols and the music was of a difficult and classical sort, many of the selections being from the oratorios.

The Weymouth Glee Club, noted for miles around, in its time, was formed in 1839 with Mrs. Richards as leading soprano. She was also the leading soprano in the Neponset Singing Society. The only surviving members of the Weymouth Glee Club are Mr. Richard A. Hunt, Mr. Elias Nash, and Mr. F. H. Tilden.

Mrs. Richards was associated with the anti-slavery movement in the times when such a stand meant much social astracism. She was a personal friend of Garrison at the time he issued his paper "The Liberator," in 1831, and was also intimate with and entertained at her home such men as Frederick Douglass, Wendell Phillips, Rev. Samuel May, Rev. Samuel C. May, Parker Pilsbury and others. With Mrs. Chapman she was on the most intimate terms. All of these were leaders in the anti-slavery movement.

As reform generates reform so the noble instincts of Mrs. Richard's mind engaged her services in temperance agitation and in 1840 she became associated with Dr. Charles Jewitt, Edwin Thompson and others in the agitation which was known as the Washingtonian movement. John B. Gough, the great temperance lecturer, was entertained at her home whenever he lectured in Weymouth.

Another reform question in which Mrs. Richards was interested was the one of equal rights to both sexes and she was a firm supporter of the Woman Suffrage movement, and retained her interest in this and other reforms up to the time of her death.

A noble life, well lived. She was a faithful and loving wife and mother, never neglecting home duties even while her fine mind, discerning the needs of the world, drew her attention to, and engaged her active interest in, all efforts for the uplifting of mankind.

The funeral was held at 12 o'clock Wednesday, and notwithstanding the storm the house was filled with relatives and friends of the deceased. Rev. B. F. Eaton, pastor of the First Universalist church, conducted the services, and was assisted by the Rev. George H. Emerson, editor of the Christian Leader, who paid a rich tribute to the loveliness of character and noble life of the departed.

The bearers were Messrs. Albion Hall, F. H. Cowing, S. W. Pratt and J. J. Loud.

Kind words of condolence were received from Francis Jackson Garrison and from Mrs. Lucy Stone, who was prevented from attending by being herself ill with the grippe.

Institute Evening Classes.

It has been decided by the management to reopen the Institute Evening Classes. In Elocution under Prof. Bickford; in Penmanship under Mr. C. F. Vaughan; and in Mechanical Drawing under Mr. George Watson. Each class will have twelve lessons. The Institute annual fee of $1.00 covers the cost of membership in these classes, besides its other privileges. Opportunity for enrollment in these classes will be given next Wednesday evening, at the close of Prof. Bickford's reading in the Union church vestry; or applications may be sent to Mr. F. H. Cowing, secretary of the Institute, Weymouth.

—The Democratic Town Committee met at the Town hall, Tuesday evening and organized as follows for 1892: Chairman, Major John W. Hart; secretary, Albert P. Worthen; treasurer, Robert McIntosh.

THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

The column under this title will be given to the people for a free discussion of any and all subjects. The management of the paper distinctly disclaim any responsibility for the opinions here expressed.

What Rightfully Belongs to Them.

WEYMOUTH, January 2, 1892.

Mr. Editor:

I see there is one column in your paper devoted to the free discussion of different matters.

I wish to say a few words in regard to the school accommodations of those living on that part of Summer street, south of Federal street. Some time ago it was requested of the school committee to furnish some means of conveyance for these unfortunate scholars, but very little notice has been taken of the matter. The town has to bear the expense of conveying the scholars to and from the vicinity of the Town hall, and there are double the scholars living in the locality of which I speak.

Just see how little benefit we (the tax payers living on the upper end of Summer street) receive from the town, compared to that received by those residing elsewhere in town. In the first place, our street is not illuminated by electric lights. And then again the town water is no benefit to those living above George E. Harris', and in case of fire the insurance companies would have to suffer. The travelling in this part is so bad that it is a shame for small children to be obliged to walk the distance of one and one-half miles to school. One child, whose health will not allow her to walk the long distance, is obliged to stay at home while other children are being educated.

We hope the school committee will allow the scholars in this vicinity what rightfully belongs to them.

Yours respectfully,
WARREN F. NADELL.

The Parting of the Ways.

Wilkins and Watkins were college chums and close friends. They had been hard students and had taken little out-door exercise. When they shook hands and said good-bye at the end of their college career, they were in impaired health. Both had dyspepsia, liver troubles, and troublesome coughs. Wilkins had plenty of money, and decided to travel for his health. Watkins was poor. "I must go to work for my living," said he, "but I'll try the remedy the Robinson talks so much about—Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery." In less than two years, Wilkins came home in his coffin. Watkins, now in the prime of life, is a bank president, rich and respected, and weighs 200 pounds. "The 'Golden Medical Discovery' saved my life at a critical time," he often says. "Oh, if poor Wilkins had only tried it!" For weak lungs, spitting of blood, all lingering coughs, and consumption in its early stages, it is an unequaled remedy.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

BOSTON THEATRES

Tremont Theatre.

Of all the younger race of comedians none has yet reached the eminence of popularity or the degree of universal esteem which have been attained by our Boston actor, Mr. Nat. C. Goodwin, who will appear at the Tremont Theatre for a brief season, beginning Monday next, Jan. 11. In whatever Mr. Goodwin chooses to present himself, and his invariably admirable assistant corps of players, he is bound to be welcome, for he is equally bound to please and delight, to legitimately entertain and emphatically amuse his audiences. It is a great pleasure however, for Managers Abbey & Schoeffel to be able to announce Mr. Goodwin's reappearance in the most legitimately laughable of all his assumptions, Jack Medford in Leander Richardson's and Wm. Yardley's capital adaption from the French entitled "The Nominee," produced at this theatre last season with unbounded success. It will be remembered, how excellently this play was presented, with all Mr. Goodwin's original stage business. No more laughable—hilariously so—comedy has been seen here, and it is thoroughly safe to say that Mr. Goodwin will meet with a triumph surpassing, if possible, that reached last year.

Columbia Theatre.

"The Lost Paradise" adapted and embellished by DeMille was brought out at the Columbia theatre on Monday evening by Charles Frohman's Boston Stock Company, the members embracing what is known as the dramatic contingent of the theatre's excellent company. The play as stated last week, tells the story of capital and labor, and is so strongly drawn that there can be no possible doubt that it will appeal to the public mind. Then too, it is presented by an extraordinary strong company headed by Carrie Turner, W. H. Crompton, J. E. Kellard, Madame Ponise, Maude White and others, while the staging of the production is above criticism. The play is in for an extended run and a more complete criticism will be given at a later date.

Hollis Street Theatre.

"Incog," the new and successful comedy by Mrs. Ex-Gov. Pacheco of California is the next attraction at the Hollis St. theatre opening on Monday. It will be presented by Chas. Dickson, one of the cleverest light comedians on the American stage, and the Geo. W. Lederer Model Company. In "Incog," Mrs. Pacheco has struck the same vein from which has been evolved "The Private Secretary," "All the Comforts of Home" and "Mr. Wilkinson's Widows" and her "Incog" aims at the highest pinacle of popular fame. "Incog" has been played in the West so far this season, and this will be its first production in this part of the country. Its two weeks engagement in San Francisco was in the nature of an ovation, it being necessary to put the orchestra under the stage and fill every available space with camp-stools; even then, hundreds were turned away. Mr. Dickson needs no introduction to the theatre-goers. His creations of Jack Dexter in "The Wife," and the correspondent in "Held by the Enemy," at once raised him to the point of comedian in their estimation. The Geo. W. Lederer Model Company has been carefully selected, and the plan of the Wyndham Criterion organization followed. Lovers of refined and legitimate comedy may expect a treat during this engagement.

A Reasonable Inference.

Mr. Billus—Maria, how long has young Hankinson been coming to see Bessie?

Mrs. Billus—About five years.

"Five years, hey? How often does he come to the house?"

"Three or four times a week."

"Does he take her to operas, concerts and other places of amusement?"

"Yes."

"Go to church with her sometimes?"

"Nearly every Sunday evening."

"H'm! Does he seem to be attentive to her?"

"Rather attentive, I should say."

"Acts as if he were taking a sort of fancy to her?"

"He does."

"H'm! Stays pretty late sometimes?"

"He often stays till 11 o'clock."

(Suddenly struck by an idea.) "I'll tell you what, Maria! That young chap will be wanting to know some of these days if he can't keep company with Bessie!"—Chicago Tribune.

He Knew a Thing or Two.

First Suburban—Hello, Smith! You are got up regardless. Going to a wedding?

Second Suburban—No. I'm going in town to try to engage a cook, and I wish to create a good impression.—Harper's Bazar.

Fashions Observed at Hotels.

Always leave the water standing in the washbowl when done with it.

Fill up your coat pockets with hotel stationery; it will help to advertise the hotel.

Look over the papers and books on the newsstand without any intention of buying anything.

Suck the soup from off the end of the spoon. The harder you suck the farther you can be heard.

Step up to the bootblack stand and brush yourself or black your own boots, thereby saving a dime.

If anything is mislaid or lost in a hotel it is proper to accuse the chambermaid or other help of pilfering.

It is proper to wash your mustache in the finger bowl, there being no law by which you may be stopped.

Stand in front of the counter and publicly proclaim that you think the hotel is about the worst you ever saw.

Stick your feet upon the writing desk in the reading and writing room next to your neighbor who is endeavoring to write.

It is proper to ballast your coat tail pockets with oranges, apples and a general supply of fruit when leaving the dining room.

Invite chums to your room and keep up such a racket during the night that no one in rooms adjoining can get a moment's sleep.

Tell the waiter he is the stupidest fool you ever saw, and be sure you speak loud enough, so that others can hear you all over the dining room.

Sit in front of the hotel and stare at the women that pass on the street, not omitting to make remarks about them sufficiently loud to be heard.

To write your name on the register so no one can decipher it is a sure sign of greatness, and one whose chirography is wholly illegible is pretty apt to be taken for a millionaire bank president.—Chicago Hotel World.

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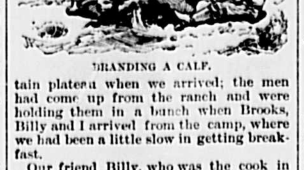
A WYOMING ROUNDUP

IT IS DESCRIBED BY THE AUTHOR OF "THE STORY OF A COUNTRY TOWN."

Branding and Marking the Calves—The Intelligence of the Horses—Decline of the Cattle Business—Two Weeks in Camp with Cowboys—Honesty and Hospitality.

[Special Correspondence.]

ATCHISON, Kan., Dec. 28.—The most interesting experience I had during a recent hunting trip in Wyoming was in attending a roundup of B. B. Brooks' black cattle. By black cattle I mean the Galway breed, which are said to be hardier on the range than the natives. I don't know how many hundred head were being held on a mountain plateau when we arrived; the men had come up from the ranch and were holding them in a bunch when Brooks, Billy and I arrived from the camp, where we had been a little slow in getting breakfast.



BRANDING A CALF.

Our friend Billy, who was the cook in our hunting camp, was to help do the roping, and we were a little nervous because a certain fellow from the plains was to assist who was said to be particularly handy with a rope. But the fellow from the plains did not bother us long; when the roping began Billy caught seven before the stranger caught one, and we paid no further attention to him. The purpose of the roundup was to brand and mark the calves. We had the branding irons on a pack horse, which were heated at a fire built for that purpose. As soon as the irons were pronounced hot enough Billy rode into the bunch on a famous roping horse known as Benny.

Cutting a calf out from its mother, Billy would chase it and throw the rope over its head. The other end of the rope was tied to the horn of the saddle, and Benny would come trotting in to the fire with the calf bucking and bawling behind him. One of the men approached the calf along the rope and threw him on his side. Another man then grabbed the calf's upper hind leg and braced his foot against the lower one. The first man held his knee on the calf's head, and then the rope was taken off and Billy went after another. A man then approached with the iron, with which he branded a V-V on the side and a > on the hip. Then his right ear was cropped, and he was released and went scampering back to his mother.

These fellows went at the work as carelessly as other men shuck corn, but to me it was very novel. The ease with which Billy caught the calves; the indifferent manner in which he trotted up to the fire, with the calf bellowing and pitching at the other end of the rope; the fierceness with which the cows followed the calves just so far and then stopped, losing all interest in them in a moment; the men grabbing the calves and throwing them, and the manner in which the calves occasionally got up and carried the men around until thrown again—all this caused me the greatest amusement. The men said that the branding did not hurt the calves. They certainly made more protest when being brought in at the end of a rope than when being branded. The man who did the branding kept a tally by piling up the pieces of ears he cut off; one pile represented the bull calves and the other pile the heifer calves.

Two men held the bunch of cattle very easily. The cattle out there seem to be as well trained as the horses. After the branding the beef cattle were "cut out" and driven in another direction. Then I saw the horses at work. The wretched Benign, who had all sorts of bad habits, turned out to be an excellent cow horse. He seemed to know as well as the men what was wanted. Every horse there worked hard and intelligently. I never knew before what a good cow horse was. Some are particularly noted for this work of "cutting out"—that is, going into a herd and driving a particular animal out. Others are good for general range work, others are good for roping, and a few are good for everything connected with the business. It was said of Benny that he had so much general sense that when his rider made a statement and it was right he would nod his head.

The cattle business in the west is not as good as it was twenty years ago. Taking one winter with another, the risk of the cattle dying on the range is too great. Wherever you go in the cattle country you find bleaching bones of cows, for it is the cows that usually die. I heard it estimated that half the cows died on the plains during the winter of 1890. Of late years it is becoming the fashion to buy steer calves in the milder climate of Texas and fatten them in the north. The most successful cattlemen in the north are those who cut a great deal of hay—usually alfalfa, which is irrigated—with which they feed the weak stock during the severe weather. As soon as a range rider finds a cow that is becoming dumpy he drives her into the feeding pens, and thus saves her life.

SKINNING A CARCASS.
[Brooks and the two Bills.]

Still, there are a great many cattle in the north, although it is known that many large owners are selling their herds and quitting the business. While on my way west I met seven cattle trains coming east in one day. A cow rides from Casper, Wy., to Chadron, Neb., in six hours, but a man is fourteen hours making the same distance. A cow rides on a special train, but a man rides on a mixed train, which spends much of its time on side tracks waiting for stock trains to pass.

I spent two weeks in a hunting camp with cowboys, and I have genuine admiration for them. One peculiarity about these men was that I never heard them abuse any one; when a man out in that country has a "grudge" he refrains from talking about it until he meets the object of it; then there is either an explanation or a fight.

We had as a guest one night a man known as "English Harry," who said that the modern cowboys had greatly improved, because they were now able to buy better whisky. At home the cowboys are quiet and well behaved, and honorable in everything, but after months of loneliness some of them drink a great deal of whisky on going to town. The whisky formerly sold in the frontier towns was of such a violent character that it would cause a man to break open his own trunk, but the whisky having improved little is heard now of the cowboys going on the rampage; they get sick at the stomach on too much whisky and go to bed like civilized men.

One night in the tent I heard a cowboy tell this story: He was with a big outfit moving cattle, and one day, somewhere near the line separating Colorado from New Mexico, they encountered a settler's cabin which had been plundered by Indians. The settler and his wife and children had been killed and horribly mutilated. The foreman was sent for, and he immediately ordered that the cattle be allowed to take care of themselves while the cowboys went after the Indians. Three parties set out at once—one commanded by the foreman and the other two by experienced men. One party came back in a day without finding any trace of the Indians.

Another party came back in two days without finding any trace of the Indians, but at the close of the third day the third party came back, whooping and yelling and firing off their pistols; they had found the Indians, killed every one of them and captured their ponies. It is related that an Indian chief once approached General Crook and wanted to borrow a cannon. "Do you expect me to loan you a cannon with which to kill my soldiers?" the old veteran inquired. "No," the chief replied; "kill soldiers with a club; want cannon to kill cowboys."

Every boy expects to be eaten up by a panther or "painter," which is the ordinary mountain lion. The mountain lions were the scavengers of the camp where I lived while away. All the gravy, meat and fried potatoes that were left over from a meal were thrown out in front of the tent, and every night the mountain lions came prowling around to eat what we had left over. One night I saw one and fired at it three times, but missed it, although Brooks held a coal oil lamp to enable me to see the sights on the gun. They are the greatest cowards in the mountains, although people who are not familiar with them believe that they stretch out on limbs of trees and pounce upon unsuspecting travelers. I will gurantee to take an ordinary hickory club and chase any lion in the mountains, although I have one hide at home measuring nine feet from tip to tip.

A SHEEP WAGON.

These lions are the only sneak thieves in the mountains. I never visited a house there and found locks on the doors. The room where I slept at the Brooks ranch had an outside door, but no lock. Our tents were left day after day, and although we occasionally knew that cowboys had stopped and helped themselves to food, nothing else was taken. I was told that a man had not been arraigned for stealing in Natrona county in several years. I was riding with Brooks one day when we came to a sheep wagon. The herder was gone, but everything was lying about loose. Being hungry, Brooks made a fire and we cooked a meal. While we were eating, the herder returned.

I expected trouble, but he simply expressed his regret that he had no butter, and aided us to find several things that had escaped us. If you stop at a house to stay all night or eat a meal you are never expected to pay. A tramp who owned a horse could live magnificently in that country by traveling from house to house. When a cowboy is out of a job he travels about, finding free entertainment everywhere until he finds work. Settlements are few and far between, and the people are always glad to see visitors.

Speaking of sheep wagons reminds me that the great talk in that country now concerns the sheep business. There was a time when it was thought necessary for a sheep man to own a ranch and feed his sheep in winter, but it has lately been discovered that the best way is to allow them to drift wherever they will, summer and winter alike, following them with a sheep wagon. These are houses built on wagons. They all have a good bed, a good iron stove and are comfortable in all sorts of weather. Some of them are adorned with pictures and kept very clean. The herders live in these wagons all the year, only going to town at shearing time. It is said that owners of sheep made 70 per cent. on their money last year, while the cattlemen in many cases lost 50 per cent. A good sheep man receives forty dollars a month for following the sheep about. If you want a cheap hunt find a sheep wagon; the herder will be glad to board you for your company.

E. W. HOWE.

The Latest in Superstitions.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 29.—There are fashions in superstitions as in everything else. At one time everybody was crazy over peacock feathers, and an aesthetic room was considered incomplete without a bunch stuck somewhere. Do you ever see them now? In jewels, too, there are these changes. Not so long ago everybody was wearing cat's eyes, and regarding them as very lucky. Now they are quite out of date, and are even looked upon as unlucky, whereas opals, which for years have been regarded with horror by the superstitious, are now in favor and coming to be looked on as talismans. But the cross eyed hoodoo remains fixed, as it were, in popular estimation, and nothing will queer you so soon as the blighting glance of the tangle eyed man or woman.

Soap Bubble Parties.

Soap bubble parties promise to be in favor. To give a bubble party you must have a number of Japanese fans, bowls of soap and water, a dozen or so clay pipes and several yards of ribbon. Stretch the ribbon across the room. Choose sides. The side that blows and fans the greatest number of the iridescent globes over the ribbon wins the prize, which may be a handsome pipe for a man or a box of perfumed soap for a woman.

Uncle Remus at Work.

[Special Correspondence.]

ATLANTA, Dec. 28.—Joel Chandler Harris, the famous author of the "Uncle Remus" stories, is universally beloved in this his adopted city. He is a very methodical worker. He does not believe much in inspiration. His theory is to work every day and at regular hours, and he carries his theory into effect, accomplishing an immense amount of work as a member of the editorial staff of the Atlanta Constitution.

Mr. Harris is still a young man. He is happily married and has a lovely home in the suburbs of Atlanta. A great grief came to him recently in the death of a son whom he dearly loved and, with all a father's fondness, had placed great hopes upon.

He is a very modest man, and he rarely speaks of his writings to any save very intimate friends. He writes at a desk facing Alabama street in Atlanta, on the fourth floor of The Constitution office. He begins work as regularly as the clock strikes, in all weathers, at 8:30 a. m., and promptly leaves his desk at 5. His stories he always writes at home, giving his whole time during the day to newspaper work.

He never dictates his work and but rarely uses the good offices of the typewriter to get up his matter. He works rapidly and revises to a certain extent, but does not waste hours over a sentence or a paragraph as some authors do. He writes a clear, legible hand and the printers on The Constitution like to receive his copy.

Mr. Harris' chief eccentricity as a literary man is his capacity for work. Neither Mr. Grady himself, even, nor Mr. Howell, the present managing editor of The Constitution and probably the youngest speaker the Georgia house of representatives ever had, could do more real, serious hard work than Mr. Harris. Indeed, he never leaves his desk either at the office or at his home until the task he has assigned himself is accomplished. Yet he does not work rapidly. His manner of writing is very slow and deliberate, and he rarely has occasion to erase a word.

In person Mr. Harris does not look like a genius, though one of the most forcible writers the south has ever produced. He is of medium height, rather florid in complexion and of a build which might be described as "stocky" rather than athletic, though, like most Georgians, he is a fine horseman and delights to follow his dogs over the stubble. He loves that famous southern dish, "'possum an taters," and often, in the season, dispenses it to his friends at his beautiful home.

Mr. Harris' recent stories in The Century and other publications are based upon fact for the most part—for as a boy during the late war and immediately after he was witness to a large number of dramatic incidents which impressed themselves upon his memory and which he has put to excellent use in his stories.

CHURCHILL JOHNSTON.

Modesty of Greatness.

"By the way," observed the eminent statesman, registering his name," have you telephone connection with the leading newspapers of the city?"

"We have, senator," replied the hotel clerk. "Can I be of any service"—

"I merely wished to say," said the great man, with a majestic wave of his hand, "in case they should—um—learn of my arrival in the city, that I am here on strictly private business. It is now—let me see—it is now 6 o'clock. I shall be in my room from 7:30 to 9:30 and shall probably—um—decline to be interviewed. That, I think, is all. From 7:30 to 9:30, remember."—Chicago Tribune.

Tonsorial Item.

An elderly gentleman, on whose head only a few lonesome hairs lingered, entered a drug store and said to the clerk:

"I want to buy a hairbrush."

"For your own use?"

"Yes."

"What's the matter with a toothbrush?"—Texas Siftings.

WOMEN AND THE WORLD'S FAIR.

They Are Working Hard and Effectively for Its Success.

[Special Correspondence.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—As the arrangements and the preparations for the World's fair progress from day to day and month to month, so in proportion are the beneficial influences of womankind exerted upon the enterprise. The brood of carping critics and professional woman haters that but a short year or so ago were loudly proclaiming that the recognition which it was proposed to give to the gentler sex would lead to "confusion worse confounded," appear to have been effectually silenced. A year and a half must yet elapse before the blare of trumpets and the roar of artillery announce that the gates in Jackson park have been opened wide to the nations of the earth, and tremendous results can be accomplished in that space of time, but already the women of the country have made a record.

From the towns and cities and villages and hamlets, from territories as well as states, there comes a perfect torrent of testimony to the energy and industry that the women are putting forth in behalf of this gigantic enterprise, and able and experienced as are the executive officials upon whose shoulders rest, in the main, the responsibility for the success or failure of the fair, it is little wonder that they feel encouraged and inspired to still greater effort, were such a thing possible, by the hearty and successful co-operation that they are getting from the women folk. To the latter it is the opportunity of a century, and little wonder is it that they are making the most of it.

In all previous international expositions of which there is any record they have been allowed to play but a small and insignificant part, and the same story would have been true today were either England or any European country the scene of the coming event. But, thanks to their own exertions, they have been afforded an opportunity of showing to the nations of the earth what the women of an advanced civilization can accomplish, and right nobly are they availing themselves of that opportunity. As an example, what, for brilliancy of idea, originality of thought, or audacity of execution, will exceed the action of Mrs. Potter Palmer as president of the board of lady managers in addressing directly the queens of Europe, and seeking their aid toward the organization of women commissions and their sanction to the work and duties within the province of such organizations.

In France, in Italy, in Spain, and to some extent, although not as large as formerly, in England, women are supposed to have no part or parcel in public affairs, and one can almost imagine the feelings of surprise, not unmingled with interest, that will be manifested by Queen Victoria and Queen Regent Christine of Spain and Queen Marguerite of Italy and Mme. Carnot, of France, when they peruse the elegantly engrossed missive which bears at the bottom the dainty signature of Bertha M. H. Palmer, and in which the women of the United States, in expressing their profound and universal esteem and admiration for the particular sovereign to whom the communication is addressed, directly asks, not in the cringing, suppliant, almost reverential language with which the women across the Atlantic are wont to address their crowned heads, but in unadulterated, pronounced English, that the work of the board of lady managers of the World's Columbian exposition may receive imperial approval and patronage.

The official commissioners of the (male) national commission and board of directors have gone, and are still going, to the statesmen and the representatives of the arts and sciences, of the mercantile and manufacturing worlds of the old countries, but the women have gone direct, and in behalf of women, to the sovereigns themselves, around whom the affairs of their several realms are supposed to revolve, and whose monosyllable is worth more in its influence than a premier's signature. It is a master stroke of genius, and unless the queens of Europe are unlike the average of womankind it will be crowned with a measure of success that will send an exultant thrill through the frame of every patriotic American woman.

HENRY M. HUNT.

A Murder Explained.

"Jule," remarked Brutus as he strolled into the great Cæsar's tent, "did I ever tell you of the fight I once had among the Allobroges?" Gets off a long, windy tale involving the single handed slaughter of eleven ferocious barbarians.

"Brute, my boy," remarked Cæsar solemnly when he had finished, "I admire Gaul, especially Transalpine Gaul, but still I must say that you remind me of a harp shattered by the lightning of great Jove."

"How so?" inquired Brutus unwarily.

"Because you're a blasted lyre," answered Cæsar, taking a long pull at a flask of Chian of the 751 vintage.

And from that day forth Brutus began to meditate on the ides of March.—Yale Record.

Remembered in the Will.

An eccentric Englishman had a scamp of a nephew who stole one of his silver spoons. His will contained the following clause: "To my nephew I bequeath eleven silver spoons. He knows well enough why I can't leave him the twelfth."—Kikeriki.

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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of one hundred dollars for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY.

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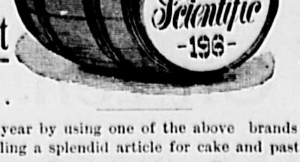

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DEATHS.

In North Weymouth, Jan. 2, Elijah N. Barker, aged 70 yrs. 8 mos. 12 days.

In Weymouth, Jan. 2, Bridget, widow of Mathew Coleman, aged 62 yrs. 9 mos. 10 days.

In Weymouth, Jan. 3, Elizabeth H., widow of Elias Richards, aged 87 yrs. 6 mos. 22 days.

In South Weymouth, Jan. 3, Noah Vining, aged 84 yrs. 6 mos. 21 days.

In Weymouth, Jan. 5, Lucy L., widow of George Blanchard, aged 74 yrs. 2 mos. 17 days.

In Raynham, Dec. 28, Laura L., wife of Rev. Sidney K. B. Perkins, aged 54 yrs. 7 mos. 9 days.

South Weymouth Savings Bank

At a meeting of the South Weymouth Savings Bank, held Monday evening, Allen B. Vining, Gordon Willis, Howard H. Joy, Arthur C. Heald, Frank W. Thomas and Charles Henry Kelley were elected members of the corporation. Trustees:—Joseph Dyer, Loring Tirrell, Prince H. Tirrell, Thomas J. Nash, Charles C. Tower, Josiah Martin, George C. Torrey, H. Wilbur Dyer, James Moore, Almon B. Raymond, Edward Lewis, Alvin Hollis, Francis H. Fearing, A. Elliot Vining, Elbridge Nash, John M. Whitcomb, Ellis J. Pitcher, John S. Fogg, Lysander Heald, Allen B. Vining, Gordon Willis, Howard H. Joy. President, Joseph Dyer. Vice-president, Loring Tirrell. Board of investment:—Joseph Dyer, Loring Tirrell, Prince H. Tirrell, Almon B. Raymond, John M. Whitcomb. Secretary, A. E. Vining. Auditors:—Elbridge Nash, Geo. C. Torrey.

A dividend of 2 1-4 per cent. was declared, payable on and after Jan. 13.

Prof. Bickford's Readings.

Prof. Bickford of Boston, the popular instructor in elocution in the Institute classes last year, will give an evening's entertainment at the vestry of Union church next Wednesday evening. Prof. Bickford is a genius in his line, and gives an evening of exquisite pathos and rollicking fun. This entertainment will be free to members of the Institute, and ten cents to others.

All Papers do the Same

People should not expect too much free from the papers. Cards of thanks are not considered news items, and there is therefore a charge for the same. The same is true of advance notices of entertainments where there is an admission fee. They can be inserted in the news columns, however, if paid for.—Quincy Patriot. tf

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WANTED. People to know that it costs only 25 cents to make known their wants in this column.

WANTED. Bicycles and machines to repair, scissors and skates to sharpen. Leave orders at Hudson's harness shop. W. T. Sylvester. 36 tf

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT.

South Weymouth Post Office.

Mails Arrive.—6.56 A. M. from Boston; 9.07 A. M. from Boston (R. P. O.); 11.45 A. M. from Boston; 3.06 P. M. from Boston; 4.30 P. M. from Plymouth (R. P. O.); 6.03 P. M. from Boston.

Mails Depart.—7.33 A. M. for Boston; 9.07 A. M. for Plymouth; 10.30 A. M. for Boston; 12.44 P. M. for Boston; 4.30 P. M. for Boston (R. P. O.); 6.19 P. M. for Boston.

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A. E. VINING, Postmaster.

January 7, 1892.

CARD OF THANKS.

We take this occasion to thank our many friends and neighbors who were so kind and attentive to us and to our dear husband and father during his long and painfull illness. The acts of kindness to him while living, and to us in our hour of sorrow will be cherished as a sweet reminder that life is not all sorrow, for even in sorrow we have been helped by these kind ministrations.

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East Braintree. 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A. M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P. M. **Return.** 5.54, 7.16, 7.59, 10.29 A. M.; 1.06, 3.46, 4.46, 5.54, 7.55, 10.09 P. M.

Weymouth, 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A. M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P. M. **Return,** 5.50, 7.12, 7.55, 8.48, 10.26 A. M.; 1.03, 3.43, 4.43, 5.51, 6.01, 7.52, 10.06 P. M.

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East Weymouth, 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A. M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.10, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P. M. **Return,** 5.40, 7.02, 7.45, 8.02, 8.40, 10.16 A. M.; 12.54, 3.34, 4.35, 5.40, 5.54, 7.44, 9.58 P. M.

So. Weymouth, 5.45, 8.30, 11.02 A. M.; 2.30, 3.40, 5.30, 6.25, 11.15 P. M. **Return,** 5.46, 6.36, 7.33, 8.28, 10.30 A. M.; 12.44, 4.31, 6.19 P. M.

So. WEYMOUTH SPECIAL to the Abingtons and Whitman, 6.00 A. M.; 6.38 P. M. RETURN from Whitman, 11.29 P. M.

So. Braintree, 5.45, 6.45, 8.15, 8.17, 8.30, 9.40, 10.05, 11.02, 11.40 A. M.; 12 M.; 12.02, 1.15, 1.55, 2.15, 2.30, 3.12, 3.30, 3.40, 4.18, 4.22, 4.35, 4.42, 5.15, 5.30, 5.33, 6.07, 6.25, 7.10, 7.55, 8.15, 9.10, 10.00, 11.10, 11.15 P. M. **Return,** 5.56, 6.44, 7.24, 7.27, 7.42, 8.26, 8.31, 8.36, 9.05, 9.48, 10.40, 10.45, 11.55 A. M.; 12.27, 12.45, 12.52, 1.29, 2.38, 3.48, 3.55, 4.39, 5.17, 5.22, 5.28, 6.34, 6.56, 7.00, 7.34, 7.55, 8.55, 9.57, 10.14 P. M.

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SUNDAY TRAINS
LEAVE BOSTON FOR

East Braintree. WEYMOUTH, NORTH WEYMOUTH and EAST WEYMOUTH, 9.15 A. M.; 12.45, 5.45 P. M. **Return,** leave EAST WEYMOUTH 8.51 A. M.; 5.32, 5.45 P. M. NORTH WEYMOUTH 8.56 A. M.; 5.50 P. M. WEYMOUTH, 9.01 A. M.; 5.39, 5.55 P. M. EAST BRAINTREE, 9.04 A. M.; 5.58 P. M.

So. Weymouth, 5.45 P. M. **Return,** 8.51 A. M.

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Weymouth and East Braintree.

—Miss Frederika T. Hunt, whose advertisement appears in this paper, is to give a musicale in the spring, at which she will be assisted by her teacher, Mr. Orth, and other Boston artists.

—John D. Mason of South Weymouth, has accepted a position with Mr. L. O. Crocker of East Braintree.

—We are informed upon good authority, that the article in last week's Braintree Observer, which consisted principally of moans over the shutting down of the Columbia Rubber Company, and the curtailed production of the Jenkins Manufacturing Co., on account of the effects of the McKinley bill, was largely exaggerated, if indeed it was based upon the least shadow of fact. The Columbia Rubber Co. has not shut down and has no intention of so doing. The Jenkins Manufacturing Co., while running only five days in the week, is doing a good business. The McKinley bill has not injured the business of these firms, but has rather helped it, we are told.

—F. H. Mason was away on a business trip to Philadelphia this week.

—Mr. John Bailey was in town this week.

—The annual meeting of the Monatiquot Yacht Club takes place at the club-house next Monday evening. A clam chowder will be served.

—The regular monthly meeting of the South Shore Co-operative Bank was held Monday evening and $1000 was sold at a premium of 25 cents per share.

Miss Bertha Chamberlain of Medfield, who has been here on a visit to Mrs. C. E. Bicknell's returned home Saturday.

—George E. Porter & Son have been taking account of stock this week.

—Mr. A. Prince Nash, one of our oldest residents, is ill with influenza.

—Benjamin White was in town visiting friends this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo H. Loud have returned to town again after a month's absence.

—John Spencer has resigned as sexton of the Baptist church.

—Louis Nash has purchased a handsome and speedy brown horse.

—The Sunday-school of Trinity church has received a valuable present for the holidays, in the shape of a barrel of oranges. This was the gift of Mr. E. W. Hunt of Waldo, Florida, a former resident of Weymouth and at one time a member of Trinity parish. Many thanks are due Mr. Hunt for his kindness and the oranges will be distributed to the members of the Sunday school at Trinity church, Saturday, Jan. 9, 1892 at 3 p. m.

—It is rumored that A. K. Bates is to purchase the Joshua Binney estate at Lincoln square.

—B. F. Stoddard, J. I. Bates and W. E. Cunningham are among those on the sick list.

—Barney Rodden, driver of Woodsum's baker wagon has resigned.

—Dr. Hathaway is out again and attending to business after a severe illness.

—John Foster Gray succumbed to the grippe this week.

—Sheriff Geo. W. White is able to be out again.

—Mr. Charles Austin Richards and son Amos of New York, were here for the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth H. Richards, Mr. Richards' mother, which was held Wednesday.

—Frank W. White has gone to Chicago to join his father, Mr. Joseph White who has lived in that city for some time.

—Those who are guessing upon the length of time Sulis & Co.'s candle will burn will be interested in the following from the Rockland Standard: "The large candle which has attracted so much attention in the show window of F. B. Clark & Co. was lit last Monday morning at 55 minutes and 15 seconds past 6 o'clock by Miss Edna M. Clark, the young daughter of Mr. Clark. It has burned constantly until Thursday evening at 37 minutes and 36 seconds past 9 o'clock. A night watch was kept and at regular intervals the candle was snuffed. The candle was the largest of its kind ever seen in this section. It was made by the Emery Candle Co. of Cincinnati, Ohio. It was 5 feet 6 inches tall. The diameter at the base was 6 1-2 inches and at the top 5 inches. It weighed 65 pounds. There were 2,500 guesses. The highest guess was 500 days, 3 hours, 100 minutes and 7 seconds. The lowest guess was that it would burn a little less than nothing. The exact hour of burning was 3 days, 14 hours, 42 minutes, and 21 seconds. The first prize of $10 in gold was won by James L. Paine, Court street, Whitman; the second of $7.50 by Burton Lovell; third, $5, by Maurice J. Condon, Webster street, Hanover; fourth, $2.50, James C. Gurney, Vernon street.

—Have we a "Peeping Tom" in Weymouth? Some ladies were somewhat disturbed the other evening at discovering a man crouched near one of the parlor windows, evidently listening to what was going on inside. He was too well dressed to belong to the tramp class and escaped before he could be identified. Such persons render themselves liable to arrest and punishment.

—Wednesday, Jan. 6, was the beginning of the Epiphany season in the Christian year, and on next Sunday that season will be observed at Trinity church by music, service and sermon appropriate to the Epiphany; or, the manifestation of Christ to the Gentiles.

—Why were our sidewalks not cleaned by the snow-plow Wednesday afternoon? On the East Braintree side of the line the snow-plow had been around before dark, and the walking was good. On the Weymouth side all was snow and slush. Was the Weymouth snow-plow man asleep? We are informed that in Ward 2, the sidewalks were cleared by the plow at 3 o'clock. From the other wards we have not heard. But where was the Ward 3 man?

—Instead of the snow-plow, a double-runner was seen coming down the Washington street sidewalk Thursday, forcing a pedestrian off the walk. Perhaps the snow was left there that there might be ice for the double-runners. This sport which has caused pedestrians so much discomfort in former years, should be stopped by the officers at once.

—Miss Mary L. Hart has been visiting friends in Boston.

—Major John W. Hart is slowly recovering from his severe attack of rheumatism, being able to sit up a little each day.

—Daniel McAuliff one day last week, fell down stairs, breaking his arm. Dr. Bullock was called, and after fixing him up, ordered his removal to the Massachusetts Hospital.

—Mr. Baxter Torrey, one of our oldest residents, is dangerously ill with pneumonia.

—A new insurance order named the Protected Associated has been incorporated. Ex-mayor S. P. Tenney of Chelsea is president, Major Edward J. Noyes of Weymouth Heights, secretary, and Judge James H. Flint of this place, treasurer.

—The ball of the Institute Base Ball Association has been postponed from Jan. 15 to 29.

—Miss Ritta Linton entertained a party of friends at her residence on Summer street, last Friday evening. The evening was spent in dancing, playing games, etc. An excellent supper was served, and everybody expressed themselves as having an excellent time.

—The Ladies' Cemetery Improvement Association, will meet with Mrs. John E. Hunt, Wednesday, Jan. 13, at 2.30 p. m.

—Prof. Bickford's readings next Wednesday evening. Be sure and hear them. They are a rich treat in pathos and humor.

—The Institute evening classes are about to begin for the year. Enrollment next Wednesday evening in elocution, penmanship and mechanical drawing, at Prof. Bickford's readings.

—The annual meeting of the Monatiquot Yacht Club occurs next Monday evening. Commodore Cavanagh entertains the club with a supper at his own expense. A full meeting is desired.

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—Laura L., wife of Rev. Sidney K. B. Perkins died in Raynham, December 28th aged 54. The body was brought to Weymouth on Thursday, December 31st and interred in the village cemetery.

—The officers elect of Delphi Lodge, K. of P. will be installed next Thursday evening. Work: First rank.

—The first sleighing of the season was enjoyed yesterday by those who always seize the first opportunity of sliding out their runners. The slipping was not bad, either.

—A little sand on the sidewalks at this time would be in order.

—A certain young man went courting at East Weymouth on Wednesday evening. While thus engaged his horse got out of the barn and wandered off. He was finally found at a livery stable, somebody having found him wandering about the street.

—Michael Griffin was in town this week.

—Delphi Lodge, No. 15, K. of P., worked the second degree on two candidates last evening.

Lovell's Corner.

—Misses Maria Hawes, Fannie Taylor, and Susie Tirrell, who were at home for the holidays, have returned to their respective schools at Douglas, Chelsea and Sandwich.

—Mrs. Walter Pratt is sick with pneumonia.

—Howard Litchfield has moved to East Weymouth.

—J. F. Young has moved from Abington to his home on Washington street.

—The second anniversary of the Brooks' Epworth League was held at the Porter M. E. church, Dec. 31. Members of the East Weymouth League were present. Remarks were make by Erwin Hawes, Rev. Mr. Babcock of Hingham, Rev. A. A. Kidder and Rev. Edwin Phillips. Songs were rendered by Mrs. Sarah Quinn and Miss Elsie Litchfield, after which refreshments were served in the vestry.

—Revival meetings are held at the church every evening. The presiding Elder was present Wednesday evening, James Earl, the evangelist, Thursday evening and Rev. A. H. Nazarian, of Turkey, a converted Armenian, will be present this evening.

Nash's Corner.

—It is very evident that one person in this community doesn't understand the O. C. R. R. system yet. One night, this person—Mr. X. Y. Z.—boarded a rear smoking car in the Boston depot, and settled down comfortably to wait for it to start. In about half an hour he became impatient and stepped outside to see if the train was ready to start, when to his surprise, it had gone, leaving the smoker behind; for his special benefit probably. Mr. X. Y. Z. declares this was the first time he ever attempted to ride out in a smoking car and it is probably his last.

—Quite a number of our young people are improving the opportunity of securing the Globe Encyclopedia Brittanica. This enterprise of the Globe is highly commendable, as it enables one to obtain a great resource of information at small cost.

—La grippe is now attacking whole families at once, in this place, as well as individuals.

—Mr. Swan is expected to conduct the services at the Mission chapel on Sunday.

—Miss Eva M. Moran is now teaching in Boston.

—Mr. Hamilton Tirrell is now pursuing very successfully the study of law with Daniel E. Gould of Boston.

T. W. B.

Church Notices.

Under this heading the pastors of *all* the churches are cordially invited to make such announcements of services etc. as they may wish. We only stipulate that such notices to be inserted shall reach us at the least, on Thursday of each week—the day before publication.

TRINITY CHURCH (Weymouth), Rev. William Hyde, rector. Service with sermon next Sunday at 10.30 a. m., subject, "The Star of Bethlehem;" Sunday-school after the morning service.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (East Weymouth).—Rev. Daniel Evans, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school 11.45 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m.; evening service 7 p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (East Weymouth), Rev. A. A. Kidder, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school 12 m.; Epworth League 6 p. m.; evening service at 7.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (South Weymouth) Rev. L. W. Atwood, pastor. Morning service 10.30; Sunday-school at close of morning service; Y. P. C. U. at 6.30. All are welcome.

OLD NORTH CHURCH (Weymouth Heights) Rev. Robert R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Strangers, new comers, all who have no church home are cordially invited to meet with us. Seats for all.

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART (Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Mass at 9 a. m. Sunday-school 2.30 p. m.

CHURCH OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER (South Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor; Mass at 10.30 a. m.

TEMPERANCE HALL (East Weymouth).—Gospel Temperance meeting at 5.30 p. m.

CHURCH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (East Weymouth)—Rev. D. S. Healey pastor. Mass at 10.30 a.m. Sunday-school at 2.30 p. m.; Vespers at 3.30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH (Weymouth). Rev. Wesley L. Smith, pastor.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y.P.S.C.E. at 5.45 p. m. All are cordially invited to meet with us.

OLD NORTH CHURCH (Weymouth Heights) Rev. Robert R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 p. m.; evening service at 7.15 p. m. Rev. Chas. Hall of Fort Berthold, N. D., for many years missionary to the Indians will be present morning and evening and will speak of his work.

UNION CHURCH (Weymouth and Braintree). The pastor, Rev. Oliver Huckel, will preach at the morning service at 10.30; evening at 7.30; Christian Endeavor meeting at 6.30. Special music in the evening, with cornet.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (Weymouth).—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. B. F. Eaton, at 10.30 a. m., subject "New Orthodoxy as stated by Dr. Lyman Abbott." Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 p. m.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (North Weymouth) Preaching by the pastor at 2.30 p. m., subject "New Orthodoxy as stated by Dr. Lyman Abbott." Sunday-school at 1.15 p. m.; Y. P. C. U. at 7 p.m.

SECOND CHURCH (South Weymouth) Rev. Henry C. Alvord, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m., followed by Sunday-school. Evening service at 6.15 p.m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7.30 p. m.

There will be no service in the UNITARIAN CHURCH, East Weymouth, Sunday afternoon, but in the evening at 7 o'clock Rev. W. S. Key will deliver an address on "Modern Views of Salvation." All are invited.

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Braintree.

—Sunday evening James Gogan was driving a buggy, containing his wife, daughter and himself, around the corner at River street, when it tipped over, throwing the occupants out and wrecking the top of the carriage. The child was cut about the face but the others were not injured.

—The Braintree Whist club was entertained by Miss Elsie Drinkwater, Friday evening. The first prizes were captured by T. P. Harrison and Miss Alice Morrison and the second by Mr. P. A. Fowler of Randolph and Miss A. K. Holbrook.

—Miss Susan Hall and Miss Helen Chapman, both of Dennis, have been visiting at Dr. H. A. Jones'.

—F. W. Winship and family have moved to Dennis where Mr. Winship will be the superintendent of a shoe factory.

—Miss May Lean of Abington has been visiting Miss Marion Arnold.

—Edward Jones has opened a fish market in the basement of Long's block.

—The funeral of Mrs. B. F. Arnold was held from her late residence on Washington street, Friday afternoon. Rev. A. A. Ellsworth officiated.

—Rev. Mr. Cobb of the Congregational Sunday-school and Publishing society, Boston, took the place of Rev. A. A. Ellsworth, who was prevented from officiating by an attack of the grip, Sunday.

—Monatiquot Lodge 83, K. of P., conferred the rank of page on three candidates, Tuesday evening. The lodge has received a gift of $101 from Mrs. Josephus Shaw, being the amount due her on account of the death of her son Eliot, who was a member of the lodge.

—Thomas Hollingshead, switchman at the tower, is confined to his home by an attack of pneumonia.

—The Parsonage society held its monthly sewing circle at the Chapel, Wednesday afternoon.

South Braintree.

—The old engine house is being torn down by M. L. Tupper who will use the material for his new coal sheds.

—Rev. Chas. Naylor preached at the M. E. church Sunday evening.

—The Good Will society meets this afternoon with Mrs. Douglas Brooks.

—Mrs. Eliza Lincoln of Randolph is spending a few days at Mrs. Jacob Dyers'

—Miss Annie Dyer has been visiting her sister Mrs. Jessie Chapman at Salem.

—Miss Estella Pierce is at her home for a short time. She has been stopping at Marlboro.

—The Literary society met at Mrs. Chas. Woodsum's, Friday evening. Lycidas, by Milton, was read.

—Mrs. Mary Wales of Randolph has been spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson.

—Mrs. George Thayer and Mrs. Eugene Dyer have been attending the Stoddard course of lectures at Boston.

—Mrs. A. S. Cady has moved into the house on the corner of Union and Washington streets recently occupied by Mrs. Jonathan French.

—Rev. L. E. Lovejoy from Michigan spoke in the M. E. church, Tuesday night.

—The family of Mr. Charles Sumner has returned from Brant Rock.

—An entertainment was to be given at the town hall, Saturday afternoon by the Isabel Florence Frolique company but owing to the bad weather there was scarcely anybody at the performance.

—Puritan Lodge 179, I.O.O.F., elected the following officers, Monday evening:—P. G., H. B. Woodsum; N. G., A. A. Anderson; V. G., A. Warren Hobart; S., W. Woodsum; T., F. F. Tupper.

—D. D. G. S. Bayfield of Charlestown, raised up the following chiefs of Nahanton tribe, 81, I. O. R. M., Monday night:—Prophet, J. E. Moreland; Sachem, W. J. Doring; Senior Sagamore, L. W. Thayer; Junior Sagamore, J. F. Eaton; Chief of Records, Robert Dunsmore; Asst. Chief of Records, C. W. Woodworth; Keeper of Wampum, G. W. Stevens; Trustee, three years, J. F. Bates.

—A young lady who is connected with the Bridgewater Normal school had a little experience a few days ago which should be a warning to all ladies as well as men, not to board moving trains. She attempted the feat of boarding the Bridgewater train after it had started, but overestimating her agility or underestimating the speed of the train, she failed to properly connect and was dragged quite a distance along the platform and, but for the timely assistance of by-standers, the result might have been fatal.

—The long service of F. A. Hobart in the interest of his country, through the Republican party, is in a fair way of being rewarded by an appointment as marshal of the new circuit court at Boston. There are several candidates for the position, but Mr. Hobart is said to have a strong pull with Sonator Hoar as well as Congressman Morse and others.

North Weymouth Gleanings.

—Corrected list of Republican Town Committee for Ward 1: George L. Newton, A. W. Bartlett, S. W. Nash, Geo. W. White, Austin P. Benson.

—Capt. Hughes McGuire has received a pension which amounts to about $1,100 back pay, and $14 a month in the future. Capt. McGuire received a wound in the war which has troubled him ever since, and the pension is deserved.

—Mrs. Bridget Coleman died Saturday night at the age of 71. She had a trouble which necessitated the removal of her arm, and died from the results of the operation. She leaves several sons and daughters.

—Mrs. Wilmot Cleverly is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

—William G. Litchfield is confined to the house with the grippe.

—Robert Clark died at the Taunton Asylum, Wednesday. He leaves a son and daughter. Mr. Clark was 81 years old.

—A movement is on foot to form a Republican club in this place. The scheme is to secure perhaps fifty members, and immediately hire and furnish some suitable place for headquarters. This should be done immediately, rather than wait until just before the campaign opens, and in this way the Republican sentiment would be consolidated, and work in unison would accomplish the results desired.

—The Century Club meet to-night. The subject for discussion, "Resolved, That the colonization and setting apart of the criminal classes is for the best good of the country.

—The base ball club of this place give the second of their social dances in the Engine hall to-night.

—Rev. W. H. Bolster of South Weymouth, gives the fourth of the course of lectures in the Universalist church, next Tuesday evening. Subject:—"The Good Old Times."

East Weymouth Briefs.

—D. D., S. A. Hunt and suite will install the officers elect of Wompatuck Encampment next Monday night.

—Superintendent Norcross has declined a very flattering offer to associate himself with the schools of Boston.

—The Unitarian Society are out with posters for a three days' fair next week, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, in Reynolds Hall. A good programme will be given each night. Miss May F. Bridgham and a host of other talent are down for Wednesday and Thursday nights, and for Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Bobbins and the wonderful xylophonist, Mr. Carl Schindler, son of Rabbi Solomon Schindler of Boston.

—The "Chile Contest" so called, by the Junior Temple last Monday night, was quite an interesting affair and the prizes were taken by Lester E. Bates and Russell B. Pratt, they being able to answer the largest number of a series of questions in regard to that country. Next Monday night the same party will try an old-fashioned spelling match taking the words of some Boston paper of that day.

—Tirrell's orchestra is booked for the firemen's concert and ball to be given in Fogg's Opera house, South Weymouth, Feb., 19.

—John Fennell who spent the holidays with friends in East Weymouth, has returned to New York.

—Dr. J. C. Frazer has been to Canada to attend his mother who is quite ill.

—Mrs. John Cahill is very ill with bronchitis.

—Miss Britt Harlow of the Franklin school is quite ill and Mrs. Arthur Cunningham is substituting for her.

—The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. which was held Tuesday afternoon was quite an enthusiastic one and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year. Pres., Mrs. H. B. Raymond; vice pres., Mesdames S. S. Marden, W. Hayden, Carrie Lovell, Lydia Lovell; sec., Mrs. Z. L. Bicknell; treas., Mrs. R. V. Merchant; chaplain, Mrs. Martha Pratt.

—Mechanics Hall Association will hold the annual meeting tonight which was adjourned from December last.

—William O'Conner has returned to the seminary at Springfield.

—La grippe is still prevalent and the number of victims is largely increased this week.

—The funeral services of Mr. James M. Seavey were held at the Congregational church, West Medway, last Monday afternoon. Rev.'s Rufus K. Harlow and William Carr officiated. There was a large attendance of friends and relatives. Mr. Harlow spoke very highly of the deceased as he knew him in his social, business, and religious relations. Excellent music was furnished by the male quartette connected with the church. The remains were buried in the Village Cemetery at West Medway with Masonic honors. Charles River Lodge F. and A. M., and Medway Lodge of United Workmen were also in attendance.

—The K. of H. Circle will meet Jan. 15, at Masonic building.

—Robert Laird, formerly superintendent of the sole-leather room at the factory of M. C. Dizer & Co., has given up his Chicago position on account of impaired health, and is visiting friends in East Weymouth.

—Philip Deslauries is quite ill and is confined to his house.

—Mrs. Geo. M. Reis is the recipient of a fine silver tea service, six pieces, from the board of Water Commissioners.

—John W. Bates has succumbed to the prevailing malady and is confined to the house.

—Michael Gorman has moved to Cain Avenue.

—State President Carter of Charlestown with State Secretary Burns of Chelsea, installed the officers of the Reform club, Monday night. Temple of Honor was represented by Myron Ford; Junior Templars, by Minot Tirrell: Y.W.C.T.U., by Nellie Hayden; L. T. L., Ada White; W. C. T. U., Mrs. Hiram Porter; Hingham Reform club, by Leonard Thomas; Lovells Corner T. U., by John Inkley. A collation was served to all present.

—The Ladies' Cemetery circle will meet with Mrs. H. Augustus Bailey next Thursday afternoon, Jan. 14. The young ladies' circle will meet with Mrs. M. E. Hawes, Monday evening, Jan. 11. It is expected the Tableaux d'Art company from the N. E. Conservatory of Music, whose entertainment in the Institute course at Weymouth was such a success, will furnish the entertainment the first evening of the fair.

—Miss Mary A. Dee, principal of the Middle street school, has been granted leave of absence until April 1, on account of impaired health.

—The East Weymouth branch, L. P. U., has completed arrangements for its seventh annual concert and ball to be held in Reynolds hall, Friday evening, Feb. 5. The talent engaged is second to none that has appeared this season.

—Grand District Deputy Beals, installed the following officers of St. Paul Commandery, No. 263, U. O. G. C., Wednesday evening. N. C., sir knight Lorenzo Wood; V. N. C., lady E. S. Cain; K. of R., sir knight G. W. Dyer; F. K. of R., L. W. Cain; treasurer, J. M. Dunbar; prelate, sister A. W. F. Bicknell; W. H., S. R., W. C. Turner; W. of I. G., W. H. Farrar; W. of O. G., F. H. Pratt. At the close of the installation, a collation was served.

—Mr. M. C. Dizer was quite ill the first of the week, but is improving.

—Col. Weston, of Post 104, Hingham, installed the following officers of Reynolds Post 58, Tuesday night. Com., C. E. Bicknell; S. V. C., J. H. Walker; J. V. C., G. F. Maynard; Q. M., Elbridge Nash; Q. M. S., C. R. Trott; Adj., John W. Bates; S.M., W. J. Dunbar; O. D., David Dunbar; surgeon, W. A. Drake; chaplain, Waldo Turner; O. G., W. H. Moran. The installation was followed by a collation and remarks by comrades Wakefield of Hingham, J. M. Whitcomb, Col. B. S. Lovell, T. B. Loud, J. Q. Spear and others.

—Teaching the infant mind "how to shoot" is attended with some duties the world knows not of. A teacher in the primary department has found time to figure out that for Jan. and Feb. she has got 3980 garments and rubbers to put on.

—The snow, rain and otherwise bad weather and travelling, kept a great many away from Odd Fellows' Opera House, Wednesday night, and yet a good, fair audience was present. As we came out of the hall, we overheard the remark that it was an enthusiastic audience. Well, they couldn't help being enthusiastic. It was one of the purest and best entertainments of the season. The Roumania Quintette, Mr. Herbert Johnson, Mr. Gad Robinson, and more especially Miss Julia King would need but little advertising to fill the house should they come again. The Roumania Ladies' Quartette, whether taken individually or collectively won hearty applause in all their selections. Mr. Johnson is always good, but on this occasion he outdid himself, and the audience were loth to let him go, even after his encores. Julia King, for versatility of power in dramatic presentation has few equals and fewer superiors. Wednesday night she was at her very best, and gave first "Pauline Pavlona," and an encore of Tennyson's "Bugle Song." In fact, too, she captured the house with the "Decorated Sisters," and then cemented the friendship of the entire audience with her charming rendering of the "Slaves' Lullaby." On account of the inclement weather, fears were entertained that the Junior Templars would be obliged to draw on the treasury, but the receipts a little more than met the expenses.

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The favorable impression produced on the first appearance of the agreeable liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs a few years ago has been more than confirmed by the pleasant experience of all who have used it, and the success of the proprietors and manufacturers the California Fig Syrup Company.

South Weymouth Items.

—Miss Dorrit Ashton, who begins a week's engagement at Fogg's hall, Monday night, will be remembered in this place as the late leading lady with Rickwell's People's Theatre company. A new repertoire of standard comedies and dramas will be played during their short stay here. It is a very fine company. Among them are three old favorites.

—The boys of the South High school have adopted a uniform cap bearing the gold letters "S. H. S." They have petitioned the school committee that military drill may be added to the course of instruction in the high school. This matter has been referred to a sub-committee for investigation as to the expediency of granting the request.

—Frederick E. Wright, a well-known artist, died of consumption, Dec. 29, at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Winslow Blanchard. [illegible] was the son of Eleazor S. Wright and Mary Reed, and was born in this village in 1849. He studied in Paris under Bonnat, Chapu, Boulanger and Lefebvre. He excelled especially in crayon portraits, but his work and ambitions took a wide range through every field of painting, and with no small success. Mr. Wright was a member of the St. Botolph, Art and Papyrus clubs.

—Fogg's hall, one week, beginning Monday, Jan. 11, the peoples favorite actress, Miss Dorrit Ashton, supported by her own company of talented artists under the management of Chas. H. Atwood. Monday evening by special request, Fanchon. New plays, scenery and effects. Prices 10, 20 and 30 cents. Tickets on sale at Tinkham's jewelry store.

—The churches, as is their usual custom, have observed the past week as a week of prayer, it being the first week in the year.

—Grand Master Beals assisted by C. W. Rice and others from the East village installed the officers of the Golden Cross last Tuesday evening.

—The best way to settle up your accounts at New Year's is to take your grip sack and leave town. So says Mr. Murray the wheelwright. His wife is selling out the furniture and collecting a few small bills.

—The good people of Pond Plain are shocked to think that hoodlums from the neighboring towns should assemble in their midst and indulge in a cock fight, especially into the small hours of a Sabbath morn.

—Officer Bailey has had a letter from the President of the Society of Prevention of Cruelty to Children, to investigate a case in this part of the town.

—Mrs. James Tirrell and daughter, Flora, started last Thursday, the 31st, on a trip to the country of gold.

—A letter from a friend in Florida inquires the price of board in this part of the country, as he is looking for a place to spend the winter months.

—Frank Young, who moved to North Abington sometime ago, has moved back to town. There is no place like the old home.

—This is the time of the year that butchers look over their books to see how good they have been to the poor and also see how poor they are themselves.

—Quite a number from this village attended the funeral of Rev. Mr. Bowles, a former pastor of this village, held at the Universalist church at Abington last week.

—Miss Annie F. Loud, from the Landing, presiding at the organ in the Union church last Sabbath, as Mrs. Jennie L. Hunt had not returned from her wedding tour. When the couple return they will recieve their many friends on Wednesday's in February.

—We want to just say to Col. Lovell that horses with their legs outside the shafts do not look as well and do not drive as well as they do in the old-fashioned way of harnessing.

—A. Raymond furnishes the solids for the great supper given at the Shanahan Benefit, at Phenix Opera House, Rockland, this Friday evening.

—The first annual meeting of the H. B. Reed & Co. Mutual Relief Association was held Monday evening, Jan. 4. The association is in a prosperous condition and has one hundred members in good standing. The cost to each member has been four and seven-tenths cents per week. Thirty-eight orders for $5 each have been drawn in favor of sick members. The old board of officers was reelected. This association has no expenses, and makes assessments only to pay a weekly benefit in case of actual sickness of a member, and a donation in case of death, which though small (fifty dollars), would be of immediate use to the bereaved family, and we believe it would be of benefit to all workmen in town to form similar organizations.

OBITUARY.—NOAH VINING.

On Sunday at 1.30 a. m., after a lingering illness from the infirmities of age, Noah Vining, Esq. passed away at the ripe old age of 84 years, 6 months, 21 days. In the death of Mr. Vining, so soon following that of his wife, who was buried but a few days ago, is severed one of the best and strongest links which unite the past and present. Mr. Vining was born in, and has always been a resident of South Weymouth, yet no section knew him or owned him as its own. It is not the province of this article to follow him through his long and useful career. Whatever in his opinion was for the good of the community and town had his earnest support and help. His name is written in nearly every page of the town's history as for more than half a century he acted in an official capacity in nearly every executive department of its government. He stamped all his official as well as private acts with the mark of honest work. Owing to declining health for the past few years, he has taken a less active interest in public affairs, yet he has not and will not be forgotten. With him it will truly be said that "deeds never die." He leaves a family of three sons and two daughters who have the sympathy of the community in this their hour of double affliction. Funeral services were held at his late residence last Tuesday, Rev. W. H. Bolster, officiating. I do not intend this as an obituary of Mr. Vining, for to follow his useful life and review his valuable traits would require more time and space than I have been able to give to this. [The above brief sketch received from our correspondent "Pero," is good as far as it goes, and we thank him for it, but we are very much disappointed in not having received from other sources, as expected, a more complete obituary, which is certainly due to the memory of one who had occupied the prominent position of the deceased. Next week we hope to be able to do full justice to the memory of him who was for so many years an important factor in our town.—Ed.]

Weymouth Heights.

—The residence of Howard M. Dow, was the scene of a brilliant party Friday evening, given by his daughters, Misses Lillian and Hattie. We congratulate the young ladies on having a wide-spread acquaintance, there being represented, Maine and California besides local friends. The party of twenty-five or more were seated at the tables about half past eight and whist reigned supreme for an hour, when they were called to the dining room to partake of a very nice collation. The prizes were captured by the following: 1st lady's, Mrs. Battison, 2nd lady's, Mrs. Preston; 1st gentleman's, Mr. J. B. Jones, 2nd gentleman's, Mr. Will Rose. The booby prize fell to Miss Briggs. After many expressions of pleasure the company dispersed.

—Mr. Albert W. Dow of Chicago, who has been spending a few weeks in the East, returned Monday.

—Miss Evangeline Norton of Portland, who has been the guest of Miss Hattie L. Dow, returned to her home Saturday.

—Mr. Edw. Miller of Sherbrook, P. Q., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Stone.

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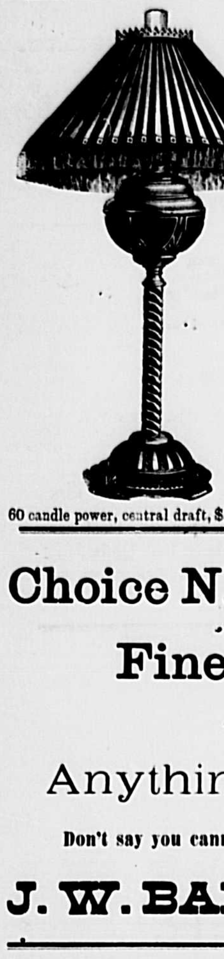

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STONEHENGE.

The Astronomical Significance of Great Britain's Interesting Monument.

There is no more mysterious pre-historic monument in Great Britain than the wonderful group of "standing stones" which form so conspicuous an object upon Salisbury plain. Volumes have been written as to the age and purpose of this monument, but absolutely nothing is certainly known. It was erected in an age and by peoples that have passed entirely out of human memory. The popular tradition considers Stonehenge to be a temple of the ancient Druids, but there is no historical basis for the belief; and, on the other hand, there is nothing to show that it might not have been such a temple. Only a portion of the stones are standing in their original position, but enough are left to give a good idea of the original plan of the edifice. It was composed of about 130 stones, and the general plan was that of a double circle of stones inclosing two ovals, which formed, perhaps, the sanctuary of the temple. The great circle was composed of enormous perpendicular stones, about twenty feet high, supporting a row of horizontal ones, as shown in the engraving, which are secured in their place by well formed mortises and tenons.

THE MYSTERIOUS PRE-HISTORIC MONUMENT.

In the center of the edifice is a block of stone sunk low in the ground, which is popularly called the altar stone. At some distance to the northeast and standing outside of the circle is a separate monolith known as the "Friar's Heel." It has always been stated, as showing the astronomical knowledge of the builders of Stonehenge, that on June 21, or the summer solstice, the rays of the rising sun shine directly over the Friar's Heel and fall upon the altar stone in the center. If this were true it would show that Stonehenge was built by a people well advanced in civilization, and add weight to the theory that it was a temple connected with the ancient sun worship. To prove the truth of this belief two English gentlemen, Messrs. Bacon and Howe, made a pilgrimage to Stonehenge on the night preceding the 21st of last June. Popular Science News tells that they placed a camera on the altar stone facing the Friar's Heel and patiently awaited the dawn. As the sun appeared above the horizon the exposure was made and the old tradition verified. As shown in the engraving—a copy of the photograph, and reproduced from La Nature—the sun, as seen from the central altar, appears to rise directly over the exterior monolith. Evidently the ancient builders of this remarkable edifice must have had considerable astronomical knowledge to determine the time of the summer solstice so accurately.

Birds Prefer Drab Nests.

Dr. C. C. Abbott says that in experimenting on the intelligence of birds he placed a number of pieces of woolen yarn—red, yellow, green, purple and gray in color—near a tree in which a couple of Baltimore orioles were building their nest. The pieces were all exactly alike except in color. There was an equal number of threads in each color, the red and yellow being purposely placed on top. The birds chose only the duller colors, taking all of the gray and a few threads of the purple when the nest was nearly done. Not a single thread of the red or bright yellow was touched, the birds seeming to instinctively know that such loud colors would make their domicile too conspicuous. Again he experimented by girdling the branches upon which nests were located, causing the leaves to shrivel and blow away. Although they had laid their eggs the birds invariably left their nests. If the nests contained young when the leaves dried up, notwithstanding the exposure, they would feed the little ones until they were able to take care of themselves.

The Medusidæ.

The medusidæ are known to the seaside visitor as the jelly fish, and the other acalephæ, the "hidden eyed" medusæ, include the Portuguese man-of-war and many other umbrella like animals.

They have received the name of medusæ from Medusa, whose long, snaky locks the tentacles of the animals are supposed to be like.

A CURIOUS INHABITANT OF THE SEA.

Some of these "floating umbrellas" are very dangerous, and will inflict severe stings upon any one in their vicinity. The tentacles or filaments extend for a long distance, and bathers should be cautious. They are beautiful to contemplate, particularly at night. The pulsation of the "umbrella" or bell enables the animal to swim, and the even undulations of this beautiful covering are apparently caused by nervous contractions.

A Good Cold Cream.

A very simple and efficacious cream for the hands may be prepared as follows: Take two ounces of lanoline and two ounces of glycerin, place in a small jelly can and stand it in a warm oven until the lanoline is entirely melted. Then add a few drops of attar of roses, lavender or rose water, and stir the whole briskly while cooling, otherwise the lanoline and glycerin will separate. Lanoline is one of the best skin emoluments, but is rather hard to rub in unless combined with a softer substance.

THE HOUSEHOLD

FASHIONABLE EMBROIDERIES.

Exquisitely Colored Designs in French and Dresden China Styles.

Since Louis Quinze furniture has become so popular, materials used with it are French in design and decoration. Some examples of this style are very attractive.

A piano slip of electric blue plush is decorated at the ends with roses, lightly arranged and tied with bows. A mantel drapery of ruby plush is extremely effective. The mantel board cover and drapery are in one piece; a more popular fashion now than the cover and border. Along the front are three separate designs, the largest in the center; between these the plush should be slightly caught up with cords. Golden scrolls half hidden by softly shaded pink roses kept in place with blue bows, all worked in filoselle, form the design.

In the style known as Du Barri the flowers are conventional, but the grouping is very light and the general effect and coloring are decidedly French. Silvery blue, pink and gray shades, with soft green for foliage, are used with delightful result on a reseda faille cushion cover. On linen teacloths, serviettes sideboard slips and toilet table covers the French decorations prove very appropriate, they are dainty, and the coloring is not too strong.

Among other novelties is one which is sure to be liked on account of the rapidity with which it can be carried out. To give an idea of it, we describe one example. On a ground of fawn faille is a bold, simple spray of conventional flowers. All the petals and leaves are outlined with gold thread. Within the outlines the flowers are slightly shaded with colored filoselles, the stitches perhaps about half an inch in length. The rest of the petals and the center of the leaves are left quite plain, but the flowers have worked centers.

For hemstitched linen articles a charming design is a waved ribbon through which are twined floral sprays.

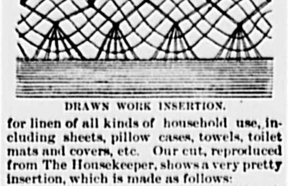
Another effective design consists of a tiny circle worked thickly with filoselle, and from this falls a shower of colored stitches suggestive of fireworks. These "golden showers" are scattered over the linen.

A pretty idea is shown in rose petals thrown over sachets, nightdress cases and comb bags. Damask, blush and tea roses each contribute their quota, and the result is a charming blending of shades. Just a sprinkling of potpourri in the lining and the idea is realized.

As Dresden china is fashionable, so are to be seen the daintiest of white linen spreads (for the white and gold beds now in such favor), over which are scattered flower sprays in Dresden china style. The flowers are worked in Kensington stitches and in colors copied from the china.

Drawn Work.

Daintiest and most delicate of all fancy work is that done by drawing the threads of linen. It is always in fashion because always artistic. Just now, however, it is even more than usually popular as a finish for linen of all kinds of household use, including sheets, pillow cases, towels, toilet mats and covers, etc. Our cut, reproduced from The Housekeeper, shows a very pretty insertion, which is made as follows:



DRAWN WORK INSERTION.

Draw all the threads, parallel with selvage, in a space one inch in width.

Divide the remaining threads in groups of six or more threads by hemstitch on each edge of drawn work.

Join five of these groups into one by knot stitch at a point two-fifths of distance from one hemstitch edge; after knotting carry three groups together with thread to a point two-fifths distance from opposite hemstitch edge, add two more groups and knot. Repeat the process, carrying two groups, and make the knot parallel with first knot.

The waving lines are easily put in from the design, using the same knot stitch wherever the threads intersect.

An Old Fashioned Nut Cake.

This is the time of year when, if ever, a good old fashioned nut cake may be indulged in. Following is an old time recipe: Two cups of sugar stirred to a cream with three-quarters of a cup of butter, a cup of rich milk, a teaspoon of soda, four eggs, four scant cups of flour and a teaspoon of cream of tartar. A cup of hickory nuts, chopped very fine, is stirred through the cake just before it is put in the oven. It should be baked in large, brick shaped loaves; iced with a thick icing, through which half a cup of hickory nuts have been stirred.

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How to Be Friends with Your Son-in-law.

It would seem a harder task to be friends with one's son-in-law than with any other relation, for it is hard to see the daughter who has been the petted and caressed and irresponsible darling of the house pass from that life, where mother was everything, to her new home, where her new duties and new life put her upon the footing of a new being. No man can or is expected to treat his wife as the mother treated her daughter, and it hurts a mother keenly until she can become accustomed to it. Her new relation is antagonistic from the beginning, more from habit of hearing mothers-in-law ridiculed and abused than anything, and he is determined that she shall not dominate him. The only way in which she can hope for friendliness is to remember the difference between a husband and a mother, close her ears to complaints and her eyes to faults and avoid giving advice or taking sides in the little things that are bound to arise to disturb the peace of the household. Every man has a dim distrust and jealousy toward his wife's mother, and only time will wear it away. The mother-in-law has a very different role to play, particularly if obliged to live with her son-in-law. She is often unjustly blamed and made to feel herself an intruder, her wishes and natural desire to take the lead in household matters, which she understands and her daughter does not, are resented. She is openly snubbed and persistently slighted by nine out of ten sons-in-law, and it is no wonder that bitter enmity is engendered. The only safe rule for a mother-in-law to be friends with her daughter's husband is to efface her individuality as completely as possible and worship, or pretend to worship, the noble being who has married her daughter. Above all, she should never know anything about her son-in-law's shortcomings or late comings. Some people might call her an accomplice, but it is her only hope.

MOTHER-IN-LAW.

How to Make Hens Lay Every Day.

Give each hen an ounce of fresh meat every day, and mix a small amount of red pepper with their food during the winter. Give them plenty of grain, lime and water, and keep them by themselves.

How to Clean Lamp Chimneys.

Unless a chimney be very badly smoked it is really very much better not to wash them. Nothing is better as a cleaner than an old newspaper. First dust off the chimney; then breathe into it and twist a piece of the paper into it until the inside is polished. Rub the outside with the paper after moistening with the breath. Many chimneys are broken in the wash basin, and besides particles of the towels with which they are wiped frequently cling to the chimneys and then catch fire after the lamp is lighted. Water, soap and towel make them no brighter than rubbing with a piece of paper.

How to Trap Insects.

Place an empty barrel smeared with tar among the fruit trees, with a light set in the bottom. The insects will be attracted by the light, and circling around it will stick in the tar.

How Some Short Words Are Pronounced.

Gauntlet—*gant*-let, not *gaunt*-let. Haunt—hant, not hawnt. Height—hite, not highth. Heinous—*hay*-nus, not *hee*-nus. Instead—in-*sted*, not in-*stid*. Knew—*knu*, not knoo. Legend—*led*-gend, not *le*-gend. Many—*men*-ney, not *man*-ny. Mattress—as spelled, not *mat*-trass. Matron—*ma*-trun, not *mat*-tron. Minute—(sixty seconds) *min*-it; (small) mi-*nute*. Ne'er—for never, nare. Nephew *nev*-u, in England; elsewhere, *nef*-u. New—*nu*, not *noo*. Oblige—as spelled, not obleege. Oblique—ob-*leek*, not o-*blike*. Of—*ov*, except when compounded with there, here and where, which may be pronounced here-*of*, there-*of* and where-*of*.

How Buckwheat Derived Its Name.

The word is a corruption of beechwheat. It is so called from the similarity of the shape of its grains to the mast or nuts of the beech tree.

How to Treat Burns and Scalds.

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How to Keep the Carving Knife Sharp.

A carving knife needs to have a different kind of an edge from a razor. The steel which ordinarily accompanies a carving knife and fork is very well to give a finishing touch to the edge, but an ordinary whetstone such as a reaper uses for his scythe or sickel is the most useful implement a carver can keep at hand. One or two rubs on each side of a knife whets it up mightily, and then two or three finishing touches from the steel and the knife is in order to do most excellent execution. Carving with proper tools is an easily acquired accomplishment, but without them a man at the head of a table seems awkward, and his evident labor and pain detracts from the pleasure those at his table feel in partaking of his good fare.

How to Be Friends with Your Mother-in-law.

If a man be very well supplied with sense and his mother-in-law be a reasonable woman they will usually get along without any friction. But sometimes even sensible persons bearing this relationship to one another will clash. When you find that there is likely to be a disagreement, and if you wish to avoid it, don't make the mistake of entering into an argument of the subject. Talk, when a man and woman disagree, never mended matters yet. The best way is to silently seem to acquiesce. You can have your own way just as much without a proclamation as with one. When your mother-in-law makes a plan for your family which does not please you don't adopt it, but don't talk about it. If one of her plans be good do not reject it because it is hers. Firmness without discussion will bring any mother-in-law to a proper condition of subjection. Why there should be a natural antagonism between mothers and sons-in-law it is impossible to say, but there is no doubt of it. Tact and consideration on the part of the man will nearly always reduce this friction to a minimum, but there are some women with whom to get along smoothly requires that a man should have, to quote M. Honore de Balzac, "the wit of a young page and the wisdom of an old devil."

SON-IN-LAW.

How to Cleanse Steel from Rust.

Mix a half ounce of emery powder with an ounce of soap and rub well. Of course the steel should be thoroughly cleansed and dried at the close.

How to Pack an Icehouse.

In the old days when icehouses were but deep holes in the ground covered with sheds, it was the universal custom to dump the ice into these places and suffer it to pack itself. This custom still prevails with some people, but it is a most uneconomical method. The ice should be cut into regular cakes of a size convenient to handle and then carefully placed into the house, layer on layer, just as a brick wall is built, attention being given to breaking joints, as in any kind of mason work. Where the cakes join one another, sawdust should be placed. This serves to stop up air holes, and it also makes it easy to take out the ice in the original cakes instead of having to bring an ax into requisition and hack the ice all up, thus causing much waste. A person who has been in the habit of putting in ice in the careless, old fashioned way will find that by adopting this method he can save at least 50 per cent. in material, besides making it much less difficult to get ice when it is required.

How to Disguise the Taste of Medicines.

Have a tumbler of water handy. Take the medicine and retain it in the mouth, which should be kept closed. Then drink the water rapidly and the taste of the medicine is washed away. Even the bitterness of quinine and aloes may be prevented in this way. If the nostrils are firmly compressed by the thumb and forefinger of the left hand while taking a nauseous draft and so retained till the mouth has been washed out with water, the disagreeable taste of the medicine will be quite unperceived.

How to Take Fruit Spots Out of Cotton Goods.

Apply cold soap, then touch the spot with a hair pencil or feather dipped in chlorate of soda, then dip immediately in cold water.

To Teach Tricks to Dogs.

The only difficulty in the way of teaching animals to perform tricks is to make them understand what you wish them to do and to teach them there is a reward for obeying you. As food is the easiest of all rewards to give to an animal, it follows that the lessons should always be given when the scholar is hungry. To teach a dog to jump through a hoop or over a stick you begin by resting one side of the hoop on the ground, holding a scrap of food in your hand and making the dog walk through the hoop to get it. At first he will try to walk around, for all animals shrink from passing through anything. Feed him this way half a dozen times and then raise the hoop slightly. At first he will step over it, but as it gradually rises he will jump through. Give him a good lot of food then. Follow this up until the dog has learned two things; first, that he has to jump through the hoops for his breakfast, and second, that when he jumps he is petted as well as fed. Then take a stick and teach him to jump over that. When he has learned his lesson, take advantage of a dog's love of a romp and play with him, making him jump over sticks or through hoops.

How Monkeys Sleep.

The sleeping monkey lies on his back with his arms thrown carelessly about. The tail is wound around the body, but a double curl of it, which serves as a soft pillow, lies under the head. If two or more sleep at the same time they huddle close together, resting their heads upon one another.

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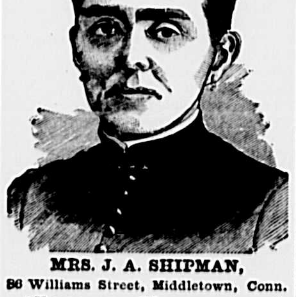

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On Saturday, January 23, 1892,

at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the Real Estate described in said deed, to wit: A certain tract or parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Weymouth, in said County of Norfolk, Massachusetts, called South Weymouth, and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Southeasterly on Pleasant street, northeasterly by land now or late of one Larabee, northwesterly by land now or late of Joseph B. Howe and Avery S. Howe, and southwesterly by land now or late of C. M. Grundstrom. For title, see said registry, lib. 361, fol. 12. Said premises will be sold subject to a prior mortgage of fifteen hundred dollars and accrued interest and unpaid taxes if any, together with all benefit and equity of redemption of the said Murray, his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns therein.

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Sec. 47. When a householder knows that a person within his family is taken sick of . . . any . . . disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the . . . Board of Health of the town in which he dwells. If he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding $100.

Sec. 43. When a physician knows that any person whom he is called to visit is afflicted with . . . any disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the . . . Board of Health of the town, and if he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forgeit for each offence a sum not less than $50, or more than $100.

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"I don't believ he is dald."
The corpse quickly shouted, "I achm!"

And sinse then they say that his ghost
Each night walks around his bed-phost,
And it scares all the folks
Who arn't uzed to such jolks
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—Exchange.

For the Gazette.

MARGUERY'S LETTER.

BOSTON, Jan. 14, 1891.

Everybody knows the Parker House, one of our oldest and best hotels. It is a favorite one of mine because it is the head-quarters of the Woman's Press Club, and because too, it is the place where many of my friends stop when passing through the city.

One day while waiting in the room of one of these friends, I saw lying on the table a beautiful autograph book, richly bound, half slipped into a seal skin case with a silver clasp. She told me it belonged to Mr. F. M. Purmorth, the clerk of the hotel, who had loaned it to her to examine. Mr. Purmorth, by the way, is one of the most genial and kindly of men. The popular idea of a hotel clerk is that he is a lordly individual, always wearing large diamonds, and always treating his fellow beings with contempt. That is what some people think at least. But Mr. Purmorth is very different from this and the celebrated names in the little book were given him without solicitation and in return I am sure for many acts of kindness. Let me tell you about some of them. Poor old Dion Boucicault illumines the first page with two sentiments. The first evidently in earlier years: "Every man has music in himself, though he may have no ear or voice for it. Love is music—sweet when it is a duet—sad when it is a solo." The other when youth's illusions had vanished: "Ah! does life ever fulfill what it promises? One begins full of hope and dashes forward, strong in faith to a sunny future, but each day an illusion vanishes, a pleasure melts away, until at last one finds oneself alone. The mask torn away, and parched with a thirst for happiness one can never quench."

Nellie Bly, who beat the record round the world wrote in 1890, "A strong determination added to a certain amount of energy will overcome any obstacle in life—except death."

Who will ever forget dear old William Warren, one of the last of the old school comedians? He said in 1886, in this little book:

"Hard is his fate on whom the public gaze
Is fixed forever to detract or praise.
Repose denies her requiem to his name,
And folly loves the martyrdom of fame."

Here is Francis Wilson's sentiment:

"I laughed so heartily
That both my eyes were rainy."

Would you believe that Marie Jansen, tricksy little sprite, so full of music, fun and folly, writes as angular and precise a hand as a dame of the ancient school. This is her quotation: "Fame is but a breath of dust, but—oblivion is solid mud."

Ed Sothern scribbles hastily these naughty words: "A sentiment? What is sentiment without whisky?"

Wilson Barrett quotes from Clito this truth: "Profoundest, saddest mystery of life. The ones we wound are always those we love."

Justin McCarthy, the great Home Ruler writes the trembling hand of an old man, but his idea is strong and virile: "The coming of home rule for Ireland is an event as certain as the rising of tomorrow's sun," 1887. "No matter what you do, if your 'art be true," says Rosina Vokes.

What do you suppose made golden voiced Adelina Patti, whose life one would think was passed amid sunshine and flowers, inscribe this astute opinion in a fine, Italian hand? "Go to strangers for charity, acquaintances for advice, and to relatives for nothing, and you will have a supply."

Below this is Nicolini's firm signature, while on the opposite page is Sara Bernhardt's autograph.

Now hear from Richard Mansfield who quotes from Beau Brummell: "Did it ever occur to you how thoughtful the Creator was when he gave us bodies, to give them to us naked, that we might dress and ornament them as we choose?"

Robert Ingersoll tells us: "Love was the first to dream of immortality," and Blanche Howard thinks that, "Love is mightier than death or the fear of death. Love alone inspires and is the life of all."

Roscoe Conklin's contribution is: "An autograph may itself be a sentiment."

The wizard of electricity, Edison, writes like print with the blackest of ink:

"The boast of heraldry, the pomp of power
And all that beauty, all that wealth ere gave,
Await alike th'inevitable hour;
The paths of glory lead but to the grave."

Henry Neville, the English actor who was such a social as well as dramatic success here, copied the whole of Ella Wheeler Wilcox's poem, beginning: "Laugh, and the world laughs with you, Weep and you weep alone."

There are other actors' autographs, but besides these we have those of the great in other callings.

On one page are the names of ex-President Cleveland and his lovely wife; but isn't it strange that while he writes a fine so-called lady-like hand, hers is large and bold? The chirography of Gen. Sheridan is also prominent, while on the opposite leaf is Carmencita's queer scrawl.

But I will tell you more about this book some other time. Haven't I introduced you to some charming people?

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The short comedy season at the Museum closes on Saturday with London Assurance when Miss Annie Clarke gives her fine assumption of Lady Gay Spanker. Though this season has been highly popular, attracting large houses, yet its close is hastened by the production of the Shaughraun, which opens Monday evening. It is a good many years since this play was given here, and it will no doubt prove as fascinating as in former times, for it has such beautiful scenery, while its conception of peasant life in Ireland has never been excelled.

The late Dion Boucicault considered it his best play, and it never failed to draw large houses, even in the dullest seasons.

Be sure and see A Lost Paradise, by De Mille, now at the Columbia Theatre. It is a wonderful play, and contains a lesson which nobody can afford to lose.

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A gentleman, evidently a reader of the Gazette, was criticizing, the other day, my remark about clergymen in the issue of Jan. 1.

"Did you ever" I asked "hear a Protestant minister speak as plainly to his people as the Romish clergy invariably do to their flocks, when occasion requires?"

"Never!" he answered emphatically, "They know very well they'd get bounced if they did?" Now wasn't that funny?

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The Wanderer's Gossip.

In wandering about the town, standing on corners gossiping with the loungers, buzzing the clerks in the stores, etc., one picks up strange things, hears curious ideas and sees singular performances.

A few of the pickups of my recent strolling I will give the readers of the Gazette.

On one corner a man was heard to remark: "This is a hard winter for poor folks. There is very little work, and the grocery men have combined, so that they don't trust as much as they did. Before, when a man was hard up, he could go to one grocery man and run a bill, then if he was without money, when this man "shut down" on him he could go elsewhere and run up another small bill, and so on, and thus get over the hard places of the winter. Now, if he hears from one dealer the chilling words, 'I can't trust you any more,' and goes to another, he is notified that by a mutual agreement, all are sworn not to trust him until his bill at Mr. So-and-So's is settled. Thus the poor man, unless he can somewhere raise the hard cash by borrowing, begging, or pawning his furniture, can get no groceries from any one in town, no matter how well-meaning a man he is with the intention to pay when he gets to work again."

Another man said, "I know a case in point where a family is really in need, but cannot get a dollar's worth of groceries without paying for them right down. They are often a whole day without food."

It is evident that however necessary it might have been for the dealers to combine for their own protection that it is not an unmixed blessing in the eyes of the needy ones, who have been in the habit of running bills with several grocers to tide over the winter.

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The grippe is, of course, the subject of much of the comment in all circles, and according to all accounts, there never was so much sickness in the town. It is a satisfaction to know that it is rarely or never fatal unless there are the complications of other disease or extreme old age. The doctors are all very busy and are reaping a fortune, illustrating the old saw "It is an ill wind" etc. It is fortunate for our numerous sick benefit societies that the grippe is usually a very short disease, or they would be heavily taxed in this time of almost universal illness.

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One strong-minded individual conversed with, had a grievance against the selectmen on account of their laxity in the enforcement of the liquor laws and in their "parsimonious" saving of the money appropriated by the town for the express purpose of stopping the sale of liquor. This man knew of several places where the "stuff" is being sold every day, and hinted that the drug stores would bear watching all over the town. His idea was that the selectmen should spend the money trying to do something even if they did not succeed in accomplishing anything. He added: "The Nationalists have the right of it and you can never stop the illegal sale of liquor until it is handled solely by the government and the idea of private profit from its sale is totally eliminated."

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The next man was wrathy over his special hobby which was the use of tobacco by boys and its illegal sale to them by our storekeepers. He said it was "dwarfing our youth and manufacturing idiots and weaklings." Inquiry at one of the stores revealed the fact that this store sold about 30,000 of these pernicious things per month. The per centage of these that are used by minors can only be guessed. This same storekeeper volunteered the assertion, that "The sale and manufacture of cigaretts ought to be stopped entirely. Why it is much better for a boy to begin at once upon a T. D. pipe. Its effects would not be one-half so harmful."

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Rumors were picked up in other places that the liquor dealers of the town and some of the druggists are combining to carry the town for license next year. That weekly meetings are held and plans being quietly formed and worked with this object in view. All will be done on the quiet and the no-license supporters will try to "spring it" at the March meeting. The plan is said to include the introduction of an opposition ticket for some, at least, of the town officers.

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A funny thing occured among a few coasters lately. The scene was this: A boy sliding down hill on a sled—a stout woman climbing the hill—sled meets woman, dives under her garments, spreads apart her supports and causes her to sit down heavily on top of the boy. Woman and boy slide away together till both are landed in the snow at the foot of the hill. Woman angry but not much hurt—boy frightened "'most to death." Curtain.

WANDERER.

Eighteen Years a Selectman.

In our columns of last week we published a brief obituary of the late Noah Vining, than whom the town has seldom had a citizen who had held for so many years positions of trust and honor as a town officer.

He was born in South Weymouth in 1807 and had consequently entered upon the eighty-fifth year of his life.

The larger part of his official work as a town officer was on the Board of Selectmen, having served, between the years 1846 and 1872,, eighteen years on that board, his longest consecutive service being five years. He was for three years a member of the so called "War Board" and was very active in looking after the interests of the soldiers. In 1847 he represented the town in the general court. For several terms he served on the School Board and the Torrey building was one of the works he supervised.

In August, 1839, he was married to Miss Sarah Curtis of South Weymouth with whom he spent fifty-two years of wedded life, she having preceded him only a few days to their future home.

His remains rest at Mount Hope cemetery near his childhood's home.

An old family physician first recommended Johnson's Anodyne Liniment for colds, coughs.

I Am an Old Man.

Shall be 70 years of age next June, and for the last six years have suffered from general debility and old age. At times I could not get out of bed without help. I commenced to take Sulphur Bitters. In a week I felt stronger and got a mighty fine appetite. I still continued their use, and to-day I walked over three miles without feeling tired, something I haven't done in five years before. Sulphur Bitters is a right smart medicine.—George Brown, Keokuk, Iowa.

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Dr. C. H. Davis, Weymouth

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Vapor Baths.—Wm. R. French, North Weymouth

All Papers do the Same

People should not expect too much free from the papers. Cards of thanks are not considered news items, and there is therefore a charge for the same. The same is true of advance notices of entertainments where there is an admission fee. They can be inserted in the news columns, however, if paid for.—Quincy Patriot. tf

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this receipt, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y. 13 1yr

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Beyond Town Limits.

—The Dighton Rock Pants Co. has received an order for a good sized pair of pants; they are to be 71 1-2 inch waist measure and are for a man in Middleboro who weighs 600 pounds.

—The deposits at the Newton Saving's Bank on Friday, Jan. 1, were the largest on record for one day's work.

Down in Eaton they say that now the election is over Gov. Russell has no use for Corcoran, McNary & Co.

—The city debt of Newton was increased nearly $275,000 last year, a large part of which was on account of sewerage work.

—Harvey Hall, the oldest citizen of Marshfield went to his long home at the advanced age of 92 years, last week.

—Owing to the absence of Rev. Charles T. Billings, the Second Parish at South Hingham have decided to close their church during January.

—Holbrook seems to be having more than its share of la grippe and diphtheria, both of these diseases being quite prevalent there, and the sick list very large.

—Brockton shipped 33,809 cases less of boots and shoes for 1891 than for the previous year.

—The city debt of Quincy was $70,910 larger Jan. 1, 1892, than it was the corresponding time in 1891.

—Edwin Church of Brockton was recently fined $20 in the Abington court for using a ferret while gunning for rabbits.

—The Dedham Transcript calls the new drunk law, the "football of lawdom" and worse than "the fifteen puzzle."

—Mr. Thomas D. Baldwin, aged 80, and Mrs. John Orcutt, aged 74, were married in Holbrook last week.

—The great joy of Brocktonians last week was the dancing of Carmencita for which they paid $600. The little Spaniard gets more for a single hour of her agile muscles, than a Brockton shoe maker for a whole year.

—The Plymouth Savings Bank declared on Monday of last week a semi-annual dividend of two and a half per cent., which required $52,448 in payment to depositors.—Old Colony Memorial.

—The city of Somerville deposited $21,171 in the Maverick Bank after it became insolvent and now sues to recover the same, claiming it should not go into the fund for general distribution.

—Milton is out of debt and has a surplus of $8,000 in the treasury after paying all bills. Is it not a case of where you have little it costs little?

—Work on the Plymouth and Middleboro railroad was actually begun on Monday, Jan. 4. President Shumway officially took out the first shovelful of dirt at the Plymouth end, after which other dignitaries assisted, each by a shovelful, in the good work. This is not an Old Colony enterprise but when the road is completed the Old Colony undertakes to run it for ninety-nine years for a per centage of the earnings. Thus to local enterprise is the building of the new railroad due.

Dear Reader.

If you are interested in our announcement of club rates with Frank Leslie's Illustrated paper and the rose or chrysanthemum offer, we shall be happy to forward to your address a sample copy of the paper free upon application.

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A Former Pastor an Editor.

Rev. F. H. Palmer, late pastor of the Old North Church, is editor of Plain Talk, a monthly magazine for young people, published at 4 Beekman street, New York City, at 50 cents a year.

In looking over some specimen copies we note some interesting and novel features. Considerable space is given to matters of interest concerning stamp, relic, and coin collecting. There is an interesting story in each number, and a ladies' department. The most novel feature is a Piece-to-speak page. How often we have been approached by young people with the inquiry, "Can't you give me something new to speak in school?" Plain Talk aims to supply this want, furnishing fresh and interesting selections for declamation, with brief hints as to emphasis, gestures, etc. The magazine furnishes excellent supplementary reading for school teachers use. We wish it success.

The New Nation.

We recommend all who want to read a paper containing fresh and inspiring ideas to subscribe for the New Nation, published in Boston, weekly. Its handling of the questions of monopolies and the urgent reforms needed is able and masterly. It is the leading Nationalist publication of the country, and is edited by Edward Bellamy of "Looking Backward" fame.

Mr. Blaine's Health.

We are assured by a correspondent in Washington, who is in a position to know, in a letter dated Jan. 10, that there is little truth in the sensational rumors in regard to Mr. Blaine's health. He is attending daily to business that it would be impossible for a man who was not in good condition, mentally and physically, to handle.

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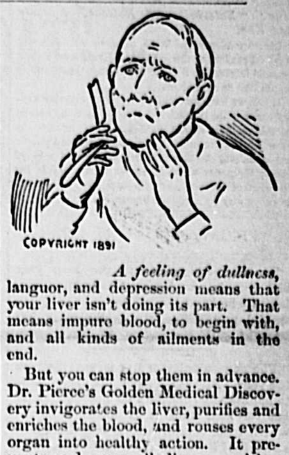
I Had Faith.

About six months ago I was advised to consult Mrs. Hall, the great Spiritualist doctor, to see if she could cure me of scrofula, from which I have suffered from childhood. She said if I would have faith in the medicine she gave me, that she could cure me. I took her medicine, and in less than three months I was cured. Why, the way the medicine worked was a miracle. I begged of her to tell me what the medicine was made of, but she said she could not do so. Finally she told me the medicine was Sulphur Bitters, and that she never knew it to fail in all such cases as mine.—Mrs. Clara Knowlton, 35 Hanover street, Boston, Mass.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.



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While we have an efficient corps of regular contributors, there is much of interest that in the nature of things, they cannot get. Let your interest in your local paper and pride in your town lead you to aid in making the Gazette more bright and newsy. Surely the paper which labors week after week for the good of the town and its people, should be aided in every way by all good citizens.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 1892.

We are getting well into the leap year but up to date we have yet to learn of any ladies who have availed themselves of the special prerogative which the year has brought.

The new coinage for 1892 is out early in the year. As yet we have not been able to handle any considerable amount of it, but we hear that it is difficult to tell whether the vignette on the half dollars is an ancient Roman maiden or an American belle of the nineteenth century.

We are not criticising, nor do we presume that the majority of people are disposed to criticise the looks of the maiden, the main idea is to often feel the weight of the coin.

One of the matters of business which the new legislature will consider early will be the "drunk law" as enacted last winter.

Under the statute law as enacted drunkeness is a crime, but the law has been inoperative in many places on account of the diversity of opinion as to what is drunkenness.

Again the law has also been made inoperative owing to the great diversity of opinion even among the most able lawyers and jurists as to the jurisdiction over and control of arrested parties.

The trustees of the Boston Public Library have tabooed Puck, Judge, Life, and other similar papers, on the ground that they are demoralizing in their influence.

The stand is perhaps well taken as, in too many instances, undue and grotesque caricatures of men in high official places not only makes the officials subjects of ridicule, but degrades the offices which they fill.

It is not strange that men resort to these caricatures when they realize the power there is in them. Some one has said that "Satire is not argument," which saying may be true, but it often wins in a contest.

There was no one thing which worked more for the defeat of Horace Greeley in his presidential campaign than the little "B. Gratz Brown" tag attached to his coat tail, and the other day it was remarked by a shrewd politician that the "little apple" remark of ex-Gov. Long, which was immediately caricatured by the other side, was a strong factor in the defeat of Allen.

If however the trustees of the Library can create a sentiment which will lift the people above being influenced by such arguments, they will do a good work.

Pastor Dismissed.

At an ecclesiastical council held in North Weymouth on Tuesday, of which the Rev E. Norton of Quincy was moderator, it was voted to advise that the pastoral relation hitherto existing between the Rev. Willis D. Leland and the Pilgrim church be dissolved. The following minute expressing the sentiment of the council was also adopted:

The council in presenting this result of its deliberations, would first express its sincere regret at the severance of the pastoral tie, which it is led to advise. For more than seven years this pastorate has been characterized by an earnest devotion to the interests of Pilgrim church, and to the moral and religious welfare of Weymouth, by a fearless, scholarly, and sound presentation of Biblical truth in the pulpit, and by a faithful, considerate and energetic discharge of pastoral duties. As a brother beloved among us, and heard with acceptance in all our churches, and ready at all times to render hearty cooperation, we shall miss him, and his genial and stimulating fellowship. In reluctantly advising the dissolution of the pastoral relation between Rev. Willis D. Leland and Pilgrim church and society, as we now do, we bear sincere testimony to the commendable qualities of mind and heart, which we have found in our brother's Christian manhood and ministry, and we cordially commend him to other workers, and to such work in other places as the Lord shall open for him, and especially to all churches of our faith and polity.

Officers of Union Bank.

At the annual meeting held Jan. 12, the following directors were chosen: Francis Ambler, George H. Bicknell, William H. Clapp, Albert Humphrey, Thomas H. Humphrey, John P. Lovell, Henry A. Nash, John B. Rhines, Edwin P. Worster. The board subsequently organized by choosing Albert Humphrey, president and Henry A. Nash, vice-president.

Oil Paintings and Water Colors.

Doll & Richards invite attention to an exhibition of Oil Paintings and Water Color Drawings, recent studies in Rome and vicinity, by Frederic Crowninshield, of New York, now open in their gallery, where it will remain through January 27th, 2 Park street.

Leland T. Powers and "David Garrick"

The most wonderful entertainment of the Institute course will be given next Friday evening (the 22d). It is one recitation by one man. But that recitation one of the brightest and most entertaining imaginable, and that man one of the marvels of impersonating skill. No one can afford to miss the famous Leland T. Powers in "David Garrick."

The Sailors' Snug Harbor in Quincy receives a bequest of $390 by the will of the late Israel Putnam Williams of Chelsea.

THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

The column under this title will be given to the people for a free discussion of any and all subjects. The management of the paper distinctly disclaim any responsibility for the opinions here expressed.

Editor of Gazette:—

As the Observer went out of its way to injure the business of the Jenkins Manufacturing Co. and the Columbia Rubber Works, will you please print the enclosed, cut from the Boston Journal of Wednesday.

EAST BRAINTREE.

The output of the Columbia Rubber Works at this place is to be greatly increased. The company has discontinued business at Woburn, and will immediately remove the needed machinery and help to this town.

If any other business concerns of Braintree want to find out more about their own business than they know themselves they can get the particulars in the B—— O——

One who has been called a
Pig Headed Citizen.

East Braintree, Jan. 14, 1892.

The Three Nights' Fair.

The attractions at Reynolds hall on the opening night of the Unitarian Fair were worthy of clearer skies and better walking, but while the management could put up a good fair, the weather was beyond their control, hence the audience was not as large as it otherwise would have been, yet upwards of four hundred dared the weather and were well paid for their bravery.

On entering the hall, one was greeted on the left hand by a very attractive candy booth in charge of Mrs. Willie French, and a no less attractive flower booth on the right hand in charge of Mrs. Harry Lowell. Passing down the hall at the left, we were charmed with the fine display of fancy goods presided over by Mrs. Sidney Raymond with Miss Francis Burness as assistant; a little farther down aprons in endless varieties were under the immediate control of Mrs. Urban Rice, while on the opposite side of the hall the cake table presided over by Mrs. Fred Gardner, and the canned goods by Mrs. Charles Cowing came in for no small amount of attention.

The evenings' entertainment consisted of a concert and the one-act drama, "My Lord in Livery." The songs of Mr. W. H. White, Mrs. Nellie F. Whiting, Miss A. Louise Tirrell and the reading of Miss Mildred Hyland were highly pleasing to the good audience which had come to see and to hear. The cast of characters in the drama was a good one. Mr. Ryan as Lord Thilmore; Mr. Winsor as Spiggot; Mr. Joy in Harkins; Master Bridgham as Robert; Miss Bridgham as Sybil Amberly; Miss Tirrell as Laura, and Miss Hyland as Rose were all good, and held the closest attention of the entire company.

The weather was but little better for Thursday but a good audience came out to witness the four act drama "The Woven Web." This drama is laid in the time of the civil war and is full of life and interest. A better selection of characters could hardly have been made as the several parts were well given. H. A. Beedem, though not a member of the bar, was a good attorney; D. M. Ryan, the weaver of the web, adapted himself to the conspiracy in fine style; E. E. Merchant, a young Virginian, could not have done better; J. Binney was full of vast ideas; J. White, a leading lawyer, was up to the situation while his protege C. F. Keene left nothing undone; D. Haley as Moses lost nothing from his previous reputation; Miss G. W. Mitchell made the orphan character a success, while Miss M. F. Bridgham as Louise Falconer captured the house and with Miss C. Prouty as Aunt Judy the cast was complete.

Tonight is the closing night and with all due respect to the other entertainments the best has been kept until the last. The Misses Flint will be there, Dr. Dobbin and the wonderful xylophone soloist, Carl Schindler. The whole to conclude with a dance.

Monatiquot's Annual Meeting.

The Monatiquot Yacht club held its annual meeting on Monday evening, Commodore Cavanagh presiding. The secretary's report showed a net increase in membership and yachts enrolled in the club over the preceding year. The Treasurer's report showed the club to be in a stronger financial condition than in the year previous, the club having paid during the past year, the balance due on the piano and for the roof over the piazza.

Capt. Bagley reported for the Regatta committee, giving the names of the prize winners for the year and stating that the championships of 1891 had been won by the following: White Fawn, A. E. Jones; Diadem, L. A. Hayward; Helen, R. W. Sawtelle; in their respective classes. These captains had been presented with suitable prizes.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Commodore, John Cavanagh; Vice-Com., Edward F. Linton; Secretary, C. G. Sheppard; Treasurer, Dana Smith; Measurer, Henry Gardner; Board of Directors, Commodore, Vice-Commodore, Secretary and Treasurer, ex-officiis, and Francis H. Cowing and Henry A. Richards. The commodore appointed the following committees and officers; Fleet Captain, Edward Anderson; Regatta Committee, T. D. Bagley, Com. Cavanagh, ex-officio, L. A. Hayward, A. J. Shaw, Dana Smith, F. T. Hunt, W. C. Cherrington, C. G. Sheppard; Membership Committee, E. C. Pierce, A. E. Pratt, H. A. Nash, Jr., N. F. T. Hunt, Geo. H. Bicknell; Judges, F. A. Hunt, A. W. Blanchard, Henry Gardner, Dana Smith, E. T. Jordan, F. H. Cowing, Geo. H. Bicknell.

The matter of water-line and sail-area measurement and classification was referred to the regatta committee with instructions to report at the next meeting.

Nearly forty were present despite the storm to enjoy the supper tendered the club by Commodore Cavanagh, and all were unanimous in praising it and a vote thanks was given the popular Commodore with a hearty good will.

The Board of Directors met and appointed T. D. Bagley janitor for the ensuing year.

REEF POINTS.

—Maybury is pushing the work on Commodore Hunt's new yacht. With the Posy to scoop the prizes in the centre-board class and the "fin-keel" to waltz away with the keel class prizes this enthusiastic yachtsman ought to be happy.

—The kickers were not out Monday evening.

—It is said that some of the "old salts" thought they were eating clam chowder on Monday evening and have not found out their mistake yet.

—Commodore Cherrington says he does not approve of water-line and sail-area for the small classes.

—It is said that Commodore Linton is looking at a seventy-footer.

—Monday evening, Jan. 25, the Regatta committee will be the guests of Commodore Cavanagh.

—The next club meeting will be on the second Monday in March.

—The secretary is preparing the copy for a new club book.

—Water-line and sail-area is all the rage and the Monatiquot will have to swing into line or get left.

—We hear that the owners of small boats don't like the water-line and sail-area measurement.

The Fadette Orchestra and Mr. Brooks.

The Institute entertainment of last week was by the Fadette Orchestra, composed of thirteen young ladies under the management of Miss Atwood, of Boston. Miss M. E. Smith was a pleasant solo violinist and the mandolin and guitar parts varied the programme nicely. Mr. Fred Emerson Brooks, the California poet and entertainer, is a genius in his way, and his way is a laughable, and withal, an enjoyable way.

Entertained at Quincy.

Members of the Weymouth Grocers' association, to the number of about fifteen, responded to an invitation of the Quincy association and went over to a supper and talk to Quincy, Wednesday night. The supper was one of Nash's best and was highly enjoyed by all present.

At the close of the banquet the flow of wit and reason began. Among the Weymouth contributors were Messrs. Humphrey, Connell, Lynch, Rice and E. W. Hunt.

Will Accommodate Some.

Hereafter the Gazette may be purchased at the news-stand in the Old Colony depot in Boston, after 4.15 o'clock every Friday afternoon. This will accomodate many regular passengers on the evening trains out of Boston, who would like to have their town's paper to read on the way out.

Let us Know.

If you are a subscriber and do not receive your Gazette regularly, we ask you to promptly inform us of every omission or delay in its arrival. tf

Rest at Last.

Capt. C. W. L. Hayward Passes Away.

Another victim of southern prisons, after heroically struggling for twenty-six years to throw off the disease contracted by exposure and hardship has at last gone, and all that was mortal of Capt. C. W. L. Hayward now lies at rest in his late home, corner of Commercial and Station streets, East Weymouth.

Possessed of a will-power far beyond the average of his fellowmen, he has continued to live when many others in like condition would have given up the contest, but he too from sheer exhaustion at last gave up and at 2.15 p. m., Tuesday, joined the many comrades who had preceeded him to that land where prisons are unknown.

Capt. Hayward was born in East Weymouth, Aug. 11, 1847. In Oct. 1862, when less than 16 years of age, he enlisted in Co. G, Twenty-eighth Mass. Infantry. A large part of the following winter was spent in camp at North Cambridge. In the latter part of the winter he was ordered to join his regiment which was then in Virginia. While enroute, he was taken sick at Washington, D. C. with typhoid fever, but no pleading of friends could induce him to give up his enlistment or get a discharge which might easily have been done on account of his extreme youth and impaired health.

The Gettysburg campaign found him with his regiment which had been a heavy looser in previous engagements. It entered that memorable fight with but 220 officers and men, of whom 101 were killed or wounded. Though but a recruit in the regiment, he rapidly won the esteem and confidence of officers and men, and for meritorious conduct he was promoted to be sergeant and sent home to recruit men for the regiment.

In April, 1864, he was again ordered to the front, and was engaged in the Battle of the Wilderness. During the grand charge on May 12, he was knocked down by a passing shell and lost his place in the front line of battle, but was up in time to join the second line and fought for the rest of the day in a New York regiment.

While on picket duty at Cold Harbor, he was taken prisoner and taken to Richmond. After being kept a few days in Pemberton and Libby prisons, he was taken to that "hell upon earth" Andersonville, where he remained until the prisoners were removed to other places to prevent their being released by Sherman in his famous march to the sea. Hayward was taken to the stockade at Savannah, then to Millen, and thence to Blackshear where, with 1500 others, he camped in an open field in mid-winter. Many were frozen to death the first night.

The story of the winter is a hard one. It was one prison after another and at the close of the war he was paroled from Andersonville, to which prison he had again found his way, but he was a mere shadow of his former self.

He was discharged from the army July 6, 1865 but so impaired in health that physicians advised a sea voyage.

He accordingly shipped at New Bedford for a whaling voyage from which he returned Jan. 1, 1869. Comrade Hayward has ever been an active worker in Post 58 G. A. R. of which he was commander the past year, which position he considered one of great honor, but thought in the generosity of his heart that no man should accept it a second term as the honor was such that it should be worn by as many as possible.

He was appointed postmaster for East Weymouth in 1890, and entered upon the duties of that office with the good wishes of all classes of citizens regardless of political associations or party ties.

He leaves a widow and two sons who have the sympathy of the whole community in this their hour of sorrow.

Funeral services will be held at his late residence this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. W. S. Key pronouncing the eulogy. Reynolds Post 58 will rendezvous at the hall, and at the close of the services at the house, will escort the remains to the East Weymouth cemetery where a salute will be fired, taps sounded by bugler, Fred Pratt, and the mortal remains of the gallant soldier, trusted citizen and kind and loving husband and father will be at rest, relieved from suffering and pain.

Probate Court.

The following Weymouth and Braintree probate business was transacted by Judge White at Quincy, January 13.

ADMINISTRATIONS GRANTED.

Addie F. Nash of Weymouth to be administratrix of the estate of Lydia T. Cushing late of Weymouth; bond, $3000.

Addie F. Nash of Weymouth to be administratrix of the estate of Elizabeth L. Cushing late of Weymouth; bond, $6000.

Miriam W. Hutchins of Weymouth to be administratrix of the estate of John G. Hutchings, late of Weymouth; bond, $500.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

First and final of Bertram N. Rice, administrator of the estate of Josiah Rice late of Weymouth.

Fourth of Sarah A. Arnold and George H. Arnold executors of the will of George W. Arnold late of Braintree.

INVENTORY FILED.

Of Z. L. Bicknell, Bella P. French and Edward E. Merchant appraisers of estate of John Nolan late of Weymouth; real estate, $1200; personal estate, $185.

GUARDIANS APPOINTED.

George W. Conant of Weymouth, to be guardian of Bessie Augusta Conant, minor of Weymouth; bond, $500.

Trifling with Death.

Mrs. Eliza Paine of Grant street, East Weymouth, was taken sick about a week ago with pneumonia and on Wednesday morning she died.

Mrs. Paine and many of her immediate friends were of the mind-cure, or faith-cure belief, and no physician was in attendance.

If current rumors are true the case was one in which the strong arm of the law should have interfered.

It is said that one party of friends pleaded for medical treatment while the sick woman and others were determined to work a miraculous cure by prayer.

Prayer undoubtedly is "the christian's vital breath"; by prayer he lays hold on the best promises of the "life that now is and the life that is to be." But no prayer of modern times unaided by human instrumentalities has either literally "removed mountains," or cured pneumonia, and the sooner people who labor under such hallucinations are put in care of a keeper the better it will be for society.

The name of Charles F. Adams is brought forward by some papers in connection with the vacancy in the Board of Railroad Commissioners. He did good service on the board some years ago.

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BOSTON THEATRES

The New Bowdoin Square.

The new and handsome place of amusement to be managed by Messrs. Wm. Harris and Chas. F. Atkinson, and known as the Bowdoin Square Theatre, is fast assuming shape under the hands of nearly 350 workmen, pushed to their utmost by Architect C. H. Blackall and the builders, Messrs. Woodbury & Leighton. The stage is practically completed. All the plaster and stucco work is done and already the dome of the auditorium is in the hands of the decorators. The spacious main entrance, and the long lobby opening off Court street could be completed in less than a week if required. In fact Messrs. Harris & Atkinson could probably open the house as early as Feb. 1, if deemed advisable. This, however, will not be done, the date of the initial performance having been set for Monday, Feb. 15. The opening attraction is not definitely decided upon and will probably not be made public for some weeks. The great feature at the new Bowdoin Square Theatre will be the great number of fire exits, which, taken with the absolute fire-proof qualities of the building, will make it second to no other place of amusement in Boston. The house will play first-class combinations only. Notably among the engagements are Fanny Rice "Aunt Bridget's Baby," Nellie McHenry "The Dazzler," Louis Morrison in "Faust," "Boys and Girls," "Held by the Enemy," Robert Mantell, Frederick Bryton, "The Two Sisters," Frank Daniels, "Power of the Press," "The Hustler," Hallen and Hart, "The Limited Mail," "Yon Yonson," and others.

Hollis Street Theatre.

Those two immensely popular comedians, Charlie Reed and William Collier, will make their joint appearance in the new farce-comedy, "Hoss and Hoss," at the Hollis Street Theatre next Monday. Unlike most pieces of this class, "Hoss and Hoss" has something of a plot. A respectable old county judge, William Hoss, has in his younger days, been involved in a pretty actress episode, which his son, Bertie, discovers, through finding an old and compromising letter. This he uses to extort permission from the judge to introduce into the house some young friends of his own of the same character, and also to induce the judge to leave his country home and reside in the city. Through this means there is assembled a company of the liveliest kind, prominent among whom is a young New York lawyer, Charlie Hoss, to the horror of the judge and his wife. The first act is laid at the judge's country house, in Saugerties, N. Y., the second in his court-room during the trial of a theatrical company, and the third in a New York restaurant, which the judge has been induced to buy in partnership with Lawyer Charlie Hoss, and which is being run under the name of "Cafe Hoss and Hoss." The trials and tribulations of the judge and the lawyer, who, owing to a strike among the employees, are compelled to become cook and head waiter, respectively, form the basis of the fun in the last act. Plenty of bright songs, clever dancing, beautiful costumes and pretty young ladies are promised. In the cast is Miss Louise Allen, the handsome brunette who created a furore last season as the "Kangaroo Girl" in "Dr. Bill." The piece is limited to a fortnight's engagement.

Columbia Theatre.

Chas. Frohman's dramatic company presenting "The Lost Paradise," which has crowded the handsome Columbia Theatre during the past week, gives promise of duplicating its long run in New York City. The piece is distinctively a play of to-day. There is not a character in the drama that is not drawn true to life from the class of people who make up the population of a busy manufacturing city or town. The brawny workman, at times over assertive of his rights; the stoop-shouldered old man, broken down by years of toil, whose wages barely keep starvation from the door of his humble home; the rugged and coarse-mannered factory girl, who uses slang phrases quite as glibly as her boyish companions; the wan-faced consumptive girl contending against poverty and disease, are all types of character of everyday life. As for the quality of the cast there is not a character that is not capably and in some instances admirably interpreted. The advance sale of seats indicates that the Columbia Theatre will be crowded for weeks to come, as the production of "The Lost Paradise" is booked indefinitely.

Grand Opera House.

For next week's attraction the management of the Opera House has secured the MacLean-Prescott combination, which comes from New York after a long and successful engagement. Two tragedies will be presented, one of which is new to the stage and for the first time will find presentation in Boston. The first part of the week "Spartacus," the tragedy which made a name for Forrest and McCullough, will be the attraction. Mr. MacLean as "Spartacus" has proven a great success and he has qualities which give him license to attempt so difficult a role. The latter half of the week "Cleopatra," the new tragedy and dramatization from H. Rider Haggard's famous novel, will be presented with Miss Marie Prescott in the title role. Miss Prescott has a splendid voice, is a handsome woman and a deserving actress of ability. "Cleopatra" will be elaborately staged and no detail will be omitted to make it a success in every way. Tickets are now on sale for both the plays of "Spartacus" and "Cleopatra."

Church Notices.

Under this heading the pastors of *all* the churches are cordially invited to make such announcements of services etc. as they may wish. We only stipulate that such notices to be inserted shall reach us at the least, on Thursday of each week—the day before publication.

Trinity Church (Weymouth), Rev. William Hyde, rector. Service with sermon next Sunday at 10.30 a. m., subject, "The Royal Bride;" Sunday-school after the morning service.

Congregational Church (East Weymouth).—Rev. Daniel Evans, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school 11.45 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m.; evening service 7 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church (East Weymouth), Rev. A. A. Kidder, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school 12 m.; Epworth League 6 p. m.; evening service at 7.

Universalist Church (South Weymouth) Rev. L. W. Atwood, pastor. Morning service 10.30; Sunday-school at close of morning service; Y. P. C. U. at 6.30. All are welcome.

Old North Church (Weymouth Heights) Rev. Robert R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Strangers, new comers, all who have no church home are cordially invited to meet with us. Seats for all.

Church of the Sacred Heart (Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Mass at 10.30 a. m. Sunday-school 2.30 p. m.

Church of St. Francis Xavier (South Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor; Mass at 9 a. m.

Temperance Hall (East Weymouth).—Gospel Temperance meeting at 5.30 p. m.

Church of Immaculate Conception (East Weymouth)—Rev. D. S. Healey pastor. Mass at 10.30 a.m. Sunday-school at 2.30 p. m.; Vespers at 3.30 p. m.

First Baptist Church (Weymouth). Rev. Wesley L. Smith, pastor.—Preaching by Rev. Geo. B. Rogers at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 5.45 p. m.; preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited to meet with us.

Union Church (Weymouth and Braintree). The pastor, Rev. Oliver Huckel, will preach at the morning service at 10.30; evening at 7.30; Christian Endeavor meeting at 6.30. Special music in the evening, with cornet.

Unitarian Church (East Weymouth.) Rev. W. S. Key, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 p. m., subject, "The Lessons of Winter."

Universalist Church (North Weymouth) Preaching by the pastor at 2.30 p. m., subject "Sin, Repentence, Forgiveness, Restoration;" Sunday-school at 1.15 p. m.; Y. P. C. U. at 7 p. m.

Universalist Church (Weymouth).—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. B. F. Eaton, at 10.30 a. m., subject "Sin, Repentence, Forgiveness, Restoration;" Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 p. m.

OUR YOUNG FOLKS

GRAND CANYON OF THE COLORADO.

The Great Natural Wonder in a Desolate Corner of the United States.

The Grand Canyon of the Colorado is a gorge in which all other famous gorges could be lost. Some of you have, perhaps, ridden through the "Grand Canyon of the Arkansas," on the Denver and Rio Grande railway in Colorado, and many more have seen the White mountain notch and the Franconia notch in New Hampshire. All three are beautiful; but, says a writer in St. Nicholas, if any one of them were duplicated in the wall of the Grand Canyon of the Colorado, and you were looking from the opposite bank of that great chasm, you would have to have your attention called to "those scratches" on the other side before you would notice them at all. If you were to take the tallest mountain east of the Rockies, uproot it and pitch it into the deepest part of the Grand Canyon of the Colorado, its granite top would not reach up to the dizzy crests of the cliffs which hem in the awful bed of this great river. If you were on the stream and New York's Statue of Liberty were upon the cliffs, it would look to you like the tiniest of dolls.

WITHIN THE GRAND CANYON.

The Grand Canyon lies mainly in Arizona, though it touches also Utah, Nevada and California. With its windings it is nearly 700 miles long, and in many places over a mile and a quarter deep. The Yosemite and the Yellowstone, wonderful as they are in their precipices, are babies beside this peerless gorge. As Charles Dudley Warner has said, "There is nothing else on earth to approach it."

The walls of the Grand Canyon are in most places not perpendicular, but seen from in front they all appear to be. They are mostly of sandstone, but in places of marble, and again of volcanic rock; generally "terraced" in a manner entirely peculiar to the southwest, and cleft into innumerable "buttes" which seem towers and castles, but are infinitely vaster and more noble than the hand of man could ever rear. Very few see this canyon. Most of it lies in an absolute desert where are neither people, food nor obtainable water—for the river has carved this indescribable abyss of a trough through a vast upland, from which in many places a descent to the stream is impossible. And yet the canyon is easily reached at some points. The Atlantic and Pacific railroad comes (at Peach Springs, A. T.) within twenty-three miles of it, and one can take a stage to the canyon. In the cut here reproduced from St. Nicholas is afforded a fine view of this natural wonder.

The News of the Day.

Said I, "Little maidens,
Will you tell me, pray,
Little maidens," said I,
"The news of the day?"

"My good sir," said they,
"We will tell it you true."
Said they, "My good sir,
We will tell it to you:

D'YOU THINK THAT IT'S TRUE?
"Last night Mother Hubbard
Devoured in her cupboard
The whole of a gooseberry pie;
An owl who knew her,
Said, 'Mother, I'm sure
It's a mercy there's nobody by.'"

Said I: "Little maidens,
D'you think that it's true?
I really can scarcely
Believe it, can you?"

Said they, "My good sir,
It's as true as a book—
You can see for yourself
If you will only look."

A Short Lecture to Boys.

Always speak the truth.

Make few promises.

Act up to your engagements.

When you speak to a person, look him in the face.

Good company and good conversation are the very sinews of virtue.

Good character is above all things else.

Keep good company or none.

Never be idle.

Your character cannot be essentially injured except by your own acts.

If one speak evil of you, let your life be so that none will believe him.

Make no haste to be rich if you would prosper; small and steady gains give competency, with tranquillity of mind.

Never play at any kind of game of chance.

Avoid temptation, through fear you may not withstand it.

Never run in debt unless you see a very certain way to get out again.

Never speak evil of any one.

Be just before you are generous.

Dog Bright and Cat Fright.

Poor Dog Bright
Ran off with all his might
Because the cat was after him,
Poor Dog Bright.

Poor Cat Fright
Ran off with all her might
Because the dog was after her,
Poor Cat Fright.

Franklin's Servant.

Franklin had a servant who was always late, but never without some specious excuse. At length he dismissed him with the words:

"I have generally found that the man who is good at an excuse is good for nothing else!"

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Marriages and Deaths.

DEATHS.

In South Weymouth, Jan. 7, Thomas F., son of John and Margaret Claim, aged 18 yrs. 1 mo.

In South Weymouth, Jan. 8, Lena R., daughter of James A. and Mahitable J. Rogers, aged 13 yrs. 6 mos. 2 days.

In East Weymouth, Jan. 7, Sarah Atkins, widow of Charles R. Smith, aged 47 yrs. 5 mos. 4 days.

In Weymouth, Jan. 9, Emily, widow of Silas Binney, aged 82 yrs. 8 mos. 3 days.

In South Weymouth, Jan. 10, William H. Richards, aged 72 yrs. 23 days.

In Weymouth, Jan. 11, Helen M., daughter of John F. and Nellie L. Dwight, aged 16 yrs. 9 mos. 17 days.

In East Weymouth, Jan. 13, Elizabeth Payne, aged 42 yrs. 11 mos.

In East Weymouth, Jan. 12, Mary A., wife of John Cahill, aged 50 yrs.

In East Weymouth, Jan. 12, C. W. L. Hayward, aged 44 yrs. 5 mos. 1 day.

Prof. Bickford's Readings.

The inclement weather prevented a crowd at Prof. Bickford's readings on Wednesday evening under the Institute auspices, but there was a good audience. The professor gave a varied programme, although the majority of the selections were intended to stimulate the humorous side of human nature.

The musical features of the evening were two violin duets by the Messrs. Hunt and a drum solo by Mr. J. Herman Loud, with piano accompaniment by the Misses Merrill and Smith of Thayer Academy.

After the entertainment, opportunity was given for renewal of Institute membership, and also of enrollment in the Institute evening classes. The class in elocution and mechanical drawing will begin the first week in February. Additional names for these classes may be sent to Mr. F. H. Cowing, secretary of the Institute, or to Mr. Lyon, superintendent.

Died.—Mrs. Emily Binney.

Another name is added to the list of aged people who have recently passed away, in the death of Mrs. Emily Binney, widow of Silas Binney, deceased, who died at the home of her son, Mr. Francis Ambler, last Saturday. Mrs. Binney was 82 years of age. Funeral services were held at the residence on Tuesday, Rev. Oliver Huckel, the officiating pastor paying a just tribute to the departed. A quartette composed of Mrs. J. G. Worster, Mrs. Emma Lloyd Hunt, Mr. J. J. Loud, and Mr. E. M. Wight, rendered an appropriate service of song. The bearers were Messrs. Joshua Binney, Albert Hobart, Arthur L. Hobart and Nathan Crane.

The Lover's Lament.

Your face is like a drooping flower,
Sweetheart!
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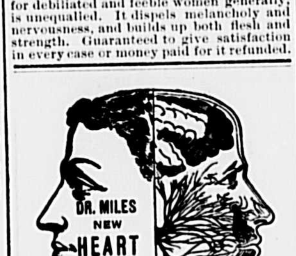

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East Braintree, 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A.M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P.M. **Return,** 5.54, 7.16, 7.59, 10.29 A.M.; 1.06, 3.46, 4.46, 5.54, 7.55, 10 09 P.M.

Weymouth, 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A.M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P.M. **Return,** 5.50, 7.12, 7.55. 8.48, 10.26 A.M.; 1.03, 3.43, 4.43, 5.51, 6.01, 7.52, 10.06 P.M.

No. Weymouth, 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A.M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P.M. **Return,** 5.45, 7.07, 7.50, 8.44, 10.21 A.M.; 12.58, 3.39, 4.39, 5.46, 7.48, 10.02 P.M.

East Weymouth, 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A.M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.10, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P.M. **Return,** 5.40, 7.02, 7.45, 8.02, 8.40, 10.16 A.M.; 12.54, 3.34, 4.35, 5.40, 5.54, 7.44, 9.58 P.M.

So. Weymouth, 5.45, 8 30, 11.02 A.M.; 2.30, 3.40, 5.30, 6.25, 11.15 P.M. **Return,** 5.46, 6.36, 7.33, 8.28, 10.30 A.M.; 12.44, 4.31, 6.19 P.M.

So. Weymouth Special to the Abingtons and Whitman, 6.00 A.M.; 6.38 P.M Return from Whitman, 11.29 P.M.

So. Braintree, 5.45, 6.45, 8.15, 8.17, 8.30, 9.40, 10.05, 11.02, 11.40 A.M.; 12 M.; 12.02, 1.15, 1.55, 2.15, 2.30, 3.12, 3.30, 3.40, 4.18, 4.22, 4.35, 4.42, 5.15, 5.30, 5.33, 6.07, 6.25, 7.10, 7.55, 8.15, 9.10, 10.00, 11.10, 11.15 P.M. **Return,** 5.56, 6.44, 7.24, 7.27, 7.42, 8.26, 8.31, 8.36, 9.05, 9.48, 10.40, 10.45, 11.55 A.M.; 12.27, 12.45, 12.52, 1.29, 2.38, 3.48, 3.55, 4.39, 5.17, 5.22, 5.28, 6.34, 6.56, 7.00, 7.34, 7.55, 8.55, 9.57, 10.14 P.M.

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SUNDAY TRAINS

LEAVE BOSTON FOR

East Braintree, Weymouth, North Weymouth and East Weymouth, 9.15 A. M.; 12.45, 5.45 P. M. **Return,** leave East Weymouth 8.51 A.M.; 5.32, 5.45 P. M. North Weymouth 8.56 A. M.; 5.50 P. M. Weymouth, 9.01 A. M.; 5.39, 5.55 P. M. East Braintree, 9.04 A. M.; 5.58 P. M.

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—Miss Agnes M. Ward has resigned her position as principal of the Broadway Grammar school, Rockport, to accept a position in a school at Somerville.

—Mrs. Sarah W. Glover is seriously ill with the grip.

—Andrew Maguire is sick with pneumonia.

—John Griffin is recovering from an attack of the grip.

—Attendance at the various churches was unusually small last Sunday, occasioned by so many being sick with the grip.

—A lodge of Odd Fellows is to be instituted here at an early date.

—Thomas Ash, an old resident, is ill with pneumonia.

—Six of the employees of the Fore River Engine Co. are used up with the grip.

—Geo. E. Fogg has purchased a pair of handsome sorrel horses.

—Gustavus Leach is rapidly recovering from a severe attack of bronchitis.

—Weymouth lodge 35, Order of Ægis, has elected the following officers for the ensuing year:—president, John Kelley; vice-president, Wm. Lane; secretary, H. M. Storms; treasurer, Walter Morrison; chaplain, Geo. B. Rolfe; inside guard, Dennis Kiley; director, Wm. Garde; trustees, T. J. McCormick, Robert Gillespie and Michael Preston. The officers will be installed Thursday evening, Jan. 21.

—One of the saddest events it has been our duty to record was the death from that dread scourge diphtheria, on Sunday night, of Miss Helen Dwight, daughter of Mr. J. F. Dwight of this place. The disease was brief and malignant and although everything was done that the father's love or the physician's skill could suggest the end quickly came. Miss Dwight, who was sixteen years of age, and a very promising young girl, was in her third year at the North High School and will be missed and mourned by a host of young friends. Our sympathy and that of the whole community goes out to the bereaved father and mother in their sudden and terrible loss. The funeral was held Monday and of necessity, on account of the nature of the disease, was private.

—Tuesday, an agent of the Atlantic Bottling Works, visited a number of the stores here and presented bills for tonic beer which had been purchased during the summer. He found that in almost every instance, the parties had paid on delivery. The fruit dealer at Lincoln square was the only one who had receipts, the others having thrown them away, not thinking that they would be called upon to pay twice. It seems that the driver of the team appropriated the money to his own use, and charged the beer on his books. It is to be hoped that although the dealers cannot show receipts, they will not be obliged to pay twice.

—John Our was at work at the Fore River Engine Works one day last week, when a block flew up from the circular saw, cutting his noise quite badly. It was necessary to have a number of stitches taken to close the wound.

—Andrew, the 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cushing, while at school last Friday, met with a singular and painful accident. While playing with other boys, one of them threw a pencil, the point striking him in the eye. It is feared he will lose the sight of the injured eye.

—The attention of the ladies is called to F. A. Sulis & Co.'s line of embroidery materials, and we feel assured that anything required by the ladies not carried in stock, will be cheerfully obtained for them by this accommodating concern.

—Invitations are out for a social dance to be given at Lincoln hall next Thursday evening, Jan. 21. The committee under whose management the dance will be held are John Neil, Frank Lyon, Chas. E. Hunt, Edward Nash, Russell Worster and Chas. Jordan.

—Mrs. Barney Loring's old and faithful servant "Jenny" is very ill with pneumonia.

—The venerable Henry Hill, Esq., who is 96 years old and has been surprisingly hale and vigorous and has been, with his wife, visiting friends in Cambridge for the winter, has, as we learn with regret, been taken ill with the grippe at that place. The many admirers of the pleasant and happy gentlemen sincerely wish that he may recover and pass his hundredth birthday.

—The annual meeting of the Ladies' Cemetery Improvement association will be held with Mrs. T. D. Bagley, at Royal Arcanum hall, Wednesday Jan. 20, at 2.30 p. m. A full attendance is desired.

—The Loyal Temperance Legion meets every Saturday at 3 p. m. in the parlor of the Baptist church. All children of the village are cordially invited.

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—If you were not aware that such an assortment of rubber footwear was carried by any of our local dealers, notice F. A. Sulis & Co.'s ad. on first page. Certainly there is no need of running to Boston for goods in this line.

—Delphi Lodge, No. 15, K. of P., worked the first rank upon one candidate last evening, and will work the third rank at their next meeting.

—The officers elect of Delphi Lodge, No. 15, K. of P. were officially installed last evening by D. D. G. C., Frank E. Hall and suite, as follows: C. C., W. O. Collyer; V. C., Joseph Poulin; P., B. F. Johnson; K. R. S., F. M. Drown; M. of F., E. T. Jordan; M. of E., Henry Clark; M. at A., C. T. Bailey; I. G., J. A. Pray; O. G., J. W. Hender; trustee, F. H. Torrey; representative, J. H. Flint.

—Leland T. Powers in "David Garrick" next Friday night in Institute course.

—Miss Helen Rhines is spending the winter in Boston at 63 West Newton street.

—Thomas Ford was before the District Court, Tuesday, charged with creating a disturbance on the train. He was fined $25.

—D. D. G. C. James H. Flint and suite installed the officers of Boston Lodge, No. 3, K. of P., at Boston, Wednesday evening.

—The 272d regular communication of Delta Lodge, Masons, was held Tuesday evening, and the following officers were elected:—W. M., Edwin F. Sterling; S. W., Frank H. Mason; J. W., Frank F. Tilden; Treasurer, John M. Walsh; Secretary, Alden Bowditch; S. D., Edgar C. Porter; J. D., Howard Poole; Chaplain, Josephus Sampson; Marshal, James T. Pease; S. S., P. B. Lawson; J. S., A. Mason Bachelder; Sentinel, Reuben Tirrell; Tyler, James W. Hender; Trustees, Frank H. Mason, Edgar C. Porter and John E. Hunt. The Master Mason degree was worked, and there were Masons present from Boston, Braintree, Quincy, Hingham, and other places. Supper was served after the ceremonies.

—John B. White has taken a position in a Boston shoe store.

—Mrs. John Childs is among those ill with the grip.

—Miles Clark had two fingers of his right hand badly jammed Monday by getting them caught in a rolling machine at Geo. Bicknell's factory.

—Edward Vinton is ill with the grip.

Flagman Patrick Ahearn is rapidly recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

—Officer Oliver Houghton is confined to the house with the grip.

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East Weymouth Briefs.

—A year ago this time the East Weymouth Ice Co. were cutting good, nice, ten inch ice for the season. It begins to look as though this would be a repetition of the season of 1890.

—H. L. Lovell is out after a week's confinement and says when a man has the grippe he knows it.

—The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Hutchinson, Putnan street, next Tuesday.

—John P. Lovell says it was a "healthy sickness." He was confined to the house two weeks and gained a pound and a half.

—Officer Peare, who has been on the sick list some time, is once more on duty but suffering with the remnants of his attack.

—Tirrell's Orchestra are rehearsing a fine programme for the Promenade Concert of the Brockton Social Club on the 29th.

—The officers elect of Wompatuck Encampment, No. 18, I. O. O. F., were installed Monday night by District Deputy, S. A. Hunt, assisted by the following suite: S. W., L. W. Easton; high priest, A. C. Diver; scribe, J. Luby; treasurer, H. J. Cushing; J. W., E. P. Witcher. The officers installed were as followers: C. P., W. E. Dizer; H. P., W. M. Tirrell; S. W., C. D. Gibson; scribe, W. T. Dizer; treasurer, E. Q. S. Litchfield; J. W., Fred A. Pratt; guide, C. H. Matherson; first watch, Clarence Bates; second watch, E. E. Bates; third watch, S. Crow; fourth watch, E. Salisbury; first G. of T., John F. Cushing; second G. of T., J. C. Stevens; I. S., W. A. Newcomb; O. S., G. Bass; trustees, H. A. Bailey, C. H. Matherson, Spencer Crow. The Golden Rule degree was exemplified in an exceedingly proficient manner. At the close of the exercises in the upper hall, the company repaired to the banquet room, where a fine turkey supper was indulged in, and a unanimous opinion expressed that while not professionals, Jos. Demerrett and E. Q. S. Litchfield were A-1 caterers.

—Sunday night at the Congregational church, the audience listened to an able discourse by the pastor, subject, "The more convenient season," also a fine duet by Mr. and Mrs. Emerson, "Ashamed of Jesus," and a solo by C. Will Bailey, "Let the lower lights be burning."

—The spelling-match by the Junior Templars Monday night was a well contested one, and the honor of standing the longest was accredited to Edwin Ford.

—At the annual meeting of Mechanics, Temple Hall Association held last Friday night, George W. Dyer was elected president, J. A. Cushing, secretary and treasurer, Geo. W. Dyer, J. A. Cushing, N. B. Peare, Stephen Tirrell, Charles W. Rice, Waldo Turner and W. T. Rice, directors.

—As a work of art, the newly decorated window of Z. L. Bicknell is quite the thing.

—Owing to the inclement weather, there was no meeting of the Young Ladies' Cemetery Circle, Monday night. They will meet with Mrs. M. E. Hawes next Monday night.

—The fifty-eighth quarterly convention of the Massachusetts State Reform Club to be held at Waltham, Jan. 20, will have as representatives from the East Weymouth Reform Club, President Hiram Porter, Mrs. Sarah Bagley, Mrs. Myra Raymond, Fred Loring, John Inkley, Charles Cram and J. Edson Ewell.

—Miss Hattie Tucker is attending the meetings of the Woman's Board of Missions at Brooklyn, N. Y. this week.

—In the M. E. church Sunday night, the Rev. A. A. Kidder inaugurated a new order of services by giving an illustrated chemical lecture, entitled, "Marble," which was accompanied by a fine service of song.

—D. D., G. D., F. E. Burley assisted by Bros. Murry and Murryfield installed the following officers of Pilgrim Lodge 485, K. of H., Tuesday night. P. D., J. C. Stevens; D., T. H. Pray; V. D., E. T. Pratt; A. D., E. Belmer; Treas. G. F. Farrar; Reporter, E. Q. S. Litchfield; Fin. Rep., M. Collyer; Chap. Joshua Vinal; Guide, A. J. Osgood; I. G., H. E. Litchfield; Sent., F. H. Farrar, Trustees, T. J. Evans, D. D. Randall, O. T. Pratt.

—Mrs. Eliza Paine who had been suffering with a severe attack of pneumonia died on Wednesday.

—Pilgrim Lodge K. of H., have been invited to be the guests of John A. Andrew Lodge of Hingham on the occasion of the installing of their officers next Wednesday night, and will take the 6.40 p. m. train returning on the 9.58.

—At the Unitarian Church, Sunday night, the Rev. W. S. Key gave a very interesting address on "Modern Views of Salvation."

—A. V. Powers is numbered among those who are in the doctor's hands.

—J. R. Totman though not able to be out is improving slowly.

—Elijah Hobart has been quite ill but is thought to be gaining a little.

—Miss L. A. Lavangier, who has had a severe attack of la grippe, is getting better.

—The Lasters' Protective Union have completed the arrangments for their Seventh Annual Concert and Ball, which will be given in Reynolds Hall on the night of Feb. 5th. Mrs. Jennie Patrick Walker, soprano; Miss Gertrude Edmunds, contralto; Mr. George J. Parker, tenor; Mr. G. M. Babcock, bass; Miss Fay Davis, reader; Mr. A. M. Raymond, accompanist and Tirrell's Orchestra is the talent engaged.

—A couple of boys discovered that H. Loud carried a nice line of sleds and sampled them without inquiring the price. They are, however liable to be expensive sleds to them as that is not the cheapest way to procure such articles.

—Prof. Cushman, optician, at F. B. Reed's jewelry store, East Weymouth, next week Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Grand chance for all to have their eyes fitted by a specialist. Examination free. There every three months.

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—Mrs. John Cahill, who was reported last week as quite ill with bronchitis, expired on Tuesday, and was buried from her late residence yesterday afternoon.

—Col. B. S. Lovell is in Washington.

—Mrs. C. R. Greeley has joined the majority, and is suffering with the prevailing malady.

—Mrs. J. F. Vinal is on the list of sufferers from the grippe.

—At C. D. Canterbury's, Mrs. Canterbury and her mother, Mrs. Page, are on the sick list.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Bates is confined to the house with the universal epidemic.

—Miss Alice Egan will take charge of of Miss Dee's class during the temporary absence of the latter, and Miss Eagan's class will be in charge of Miss Julia Cates of Harrington, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. Silas Dizer are expected home from their European trip, to-morrow.

—Miss L. Charlotte Lovell leaves tomorrow for the West, and will spend several weeks with friends in Chicago and with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Humphrey in St. Louis.

—Walter Dizer, representing the house of M. C. Dizer & Co., and Preston Lewis, representing the Boot and Shoe Supply Co., are on a business trip to the larger western cities.

—Henry Vogel, who was thought to be improving, has had a relapse of the grippe, and is quite ill again.

—The Ladies' Cemetery Circle met with Mrs. H. A. Bailey, yesterday afternoon, and moved along the work for the coming annual fair which occurs the second week in February. They adjourned to meet next week Thursday with Mrs. J. Wesley Tirrell. Ladies should bear in mind that there are but three weeks more to work, and to make this fair as much of a success as those of past years, generous supplies of fancy and useful articles should be made ready.

—The committee of Pilgrim Lodge, K. of H., met Wednesday night and decided to open their fair Feb. 25. It will be formally opened by the grand officers of the state, and the William Warren Club, assisted by W. H. White, will be the entertainment for the first night.

—George Miles, who has been confined to his house for a few days, was able to resume duty on Wednesday.

—The Junior Templars will hold a Basket Party on the night of Jan. 25, in Temple hall, at which a promenade concert will be given by the East Weymouth Orchestra. A large delegation is expected from Melrose.

—Mrs. M. C. Dizer has been quite ill at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. George Baker.

—Mrs. Tarr of Bangor, is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Daniel Evans.

—The following is a list of officers of Crescent lodge 82, I.O.O.F., as installed last night:—N. G., E. Q. S. Litchfield; V. G., C. D. Gibson; Sec'y, W. M. Tirrell; P. S., S. S. Marden; T., H. E. Raymond; W., W. E. Dizer; C., W. A. Wheaton; R. S. N. G., R. L. Osborn; L. S. N. G., G. S. Simmons; R. S. V. G., S. Crowe; L. S. V. G., G. Brooks; R. S. S., C. G. Everett; L. S. S., W. Ryerson; I. G., A. M. Hawes; O. G., C. W. Hart; Chaplain, J. M. Dunbar; Organist, J. B. French.

North Weymouth Gleanings.

—Corrected list of the Republican town committee in Ward 1, George L. Newton, A. W. Bartlett, Austin P. Beard, Samuel P. Nash, George E. White.

—The fourth lecture in the course was delivered in the vestry of the Universalist church, Tuesday evening, by Rev. W. H. Bolster of South Weymouth, subject, "The good old Times."

—The Pilgrim Fathers held their regular meeting Tuesday evening.

—The council of the Norfolk Conference of Congregational Churches, met in the vestry of the Pilgrim church and accepted the resignation of Rev. Willis D. Leland, pastor of that church.

—The King's Daughters gave an entertainment in the vestry of the Pilgrim church, Wednesday evening.

—James L. Ryan has gone to Charleston, S. C. in the interests of the Bradley Fertilizer Co.

—Members of the E. S. Beals Hook and Ladder Co. are receiving postals through the mail, announcing an assembly held in the Engine hall in 1882. They were not printed at the Gazette office.

—John W. Bartlett is on the sick list; grippe.

—W. E. Beane is down with the grippe.

—Thomas Kinder, wife and son have the grippe.

—A. P. Blanchard is confined to the house with grippe.

—The Weymouth Bakery has commenced to run a team through this village every morning. They have a fine team, the wagon is brilliantly lettered, making it neat and attractive, and the driver is very gentlemanly and courteous. The new enterprise no doubt will be a financial success.

—The girls aud boys have enjoyed a few days of splendid coasting on the public park.

—Mr. and Mrs. Noble Morse have nearly recovered from their attack of la grippe and pneumonia.

—Mrs. Olive Torrey, who is now residing with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Newton, has a great aunt living in Barre, Vt., who will celebrate her 106th birthday tomorrow. She is the oldest person now living in Vermont. She reads the daily papers without glasses and manages all her own affairs. Her name is Mrs. Lucy Wood and she was of a family of eleven children, and is the last one of the family living; there were five older and five younger. The subject of this sketch has been a hard-working woman all her life. She spends most of her time in making parti-colored holders, in log cabin style. The pieces are cut, arranged and sewed with her own hands, and on the back of each one is a small pocket, in which she places a slip of paper containing her autograph. These souvenirs she sells at ten cents each, and realizes considerable in the course of a year. On her 100th birthday she completed a bedquilt containing over 7000 pieces. The quilt has taken several premiums at country fairs. Mrs. Torrey has one of the parti-colored holders, and Mrs. Wood's autograph and potograph. A genealogy of Mrs. Wood's family may be found in the history of Milford, Mass., which confirms the statement that she is 106 years old tomorrow.

Nash's Corner.

—The members of the Owl club held their annual banquet, Saturday night, Jan. 9, at their rooms on Main street. The supper, under the direction of caterer Tirrell, was served in an elaborate style and was heartily enjoyed. The remainder of the evening was spent singing popular songs, and at a late hour the club dispersed.

—We all congratulate N. Frank Stowell upon his good fortune in securing an excellent situation in a store of Cobb, Bates, & Yerxa, at Chelsea. He will be greatly missed by the young people but we may be sure that his good nature will win him many friends wherever he may be.

—Henry Poole now fills the situation at Charles Stowell's store, vacated by Frank Stowell.

—Last Thursday afternoon, death removed an esteemed young man, Mr. Frank Clavin, from this community. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at his home, Rev. Father Murphy officiating. Mr. Clavin had a great many friends who mourn his loss, but upon none does the affliction weigh so heavily as upon the bereaved family who have the sympathy of all.

—Again, Tuesday morning, death saddened another home. Mrs. Oran White died at the age of 75 years, at her home on Front street, after a long continued illness. She was a woman who possessed many rare qualities of character, which were best exemplified in her daily life in her family and among her friends. Funeral services occurred Thursday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nolan have not yet recovered. Their daughter, Mrs. Nickerson, is with them at present.

—Frank Loud has returned from a short visit at Waltham.

—Mrs. Dora Gardiner will conduct the services at the Mission Chapel on Sunday, Jan. 17.

Braintree.

—Mrs. Butler of New York is visiting her mother, Mrs. Daniel Lunt who has been seriously ill.

—Miss May E. Wardell is at her father's home on Monatiquot Heights prior to her departure for Washington where she will visit Mrs. Frank Andrews.

—The Braintree Whist Club meets with Miss Bessie Morrison this evening.

—Mrs. N. R. Procter has been seriously ill but is getting along nicely now.

—Dr. H. A. Jones has been confined to his home by an attack of the grip.

—W. W. Dennett and son were in town Monday.

—Someone belonging to the military company left a water-cock open in the club-room over the Braintree Cash Store, Friday night, after a vain attempt to get a drink, the water being turned off all over the building at the time. The next morning it was turned on and in a short time the water had overflowed the basin in the Militia club-room and commenced to come down through the ceiling into Mr. Patten's store, damaging some canned goods and flour.

—Monatiquot Lodge 83, K. P., held a sociable in their hall on Wednesday evening of last week. It was so stormy that only fifteen or twenty guests came. Six gallons of ice cream had been ordered in the expectation of entertaining a large crowd. The Drum Crops boys were in their room, and as all the cream could not be eaten by the guests, they were invited up to "do" the ice cream and they "did" it.

—W. C. Holbrook is recovering slowly from a severe attack of acute rheumatism.

—S. H. Wardwell has gone to St. Augustine, Fla., where he will be pleased to see his friends at Hotel San Marco.

—W. E. Nickerson gave a reception at his home on Monatiquot Heights, Friday evening. As he has but lately moved here, only a few Braintree people were present, the most of the guests coming from Whitman where he formerly lived.

—The coasting was excellent on Hollis avenue Saturday and a large crowd turned out for the sport.

—Miss Helen Morrison took a short drive after church last Sunday, up to South Braintree. When nearly in front of Hon. F. A. Hobarts' residence part of the sleigh broke, frightening the spirited horse and occupants so that they jumped out. Miss Morrison was considerably hurt but from last reports we learn that she is recovering fast.

—Mrs. Charles Hobart has been severely ill with pneumonia for some time but is recovering slowly.

—To accommodate many of our readers who do business in Boston and would like to have the Gazette to read on their outward train Friday evenings, we shall, beginning with next week, place a number of copies on sale at the news-stand in the Old Colony station in Boston, where they can be purchased after 4.15 o,clock Friday afternoons, at the usual price.

—Two men were at work in M. A. B. Keith's shop Wednesday morning about 10.30 when one of them turned around and found the side of the building afire. They tried to put it out with snow, but finding their efforts unavailing they called for help. In a short time the fire had spread all over the inside of the building, which was covered with tarred paper, and made a dense smoke. An alarm was rung in and in an incredible short time the N. F. T. Hayden hose was on the scene. Under the skillful management of the firemen, a few buckets of water extinguished the blaze which did little damage.

—Charles French, employed at the post office, is sick with the grip.

—Fred A. Woodworth has been teaching school in Boston because so many of the teachers were sick.

—Leland T. Powers in "David Garrick" next Friday night in Institute course.

South Braintree.

—Preaching at Odd Fellows hall at 2.30 Sunday afternoon by Rev. D. M. Cleveland of the Massachusetts Baptist Convention. All are invited, especially those having no fixed church home.

—Mr. Charles Lothrop is at present on the sick list. He has a felon on one of his hands.

—Mrs. Richard Fan who was injured in the accident at Braintree, Christmas Eve, has settled with the Old Colony for $100.

—The share which Braintree pays in the county tax is $2,876.01.

—Richard Fan, Hon. James T. Stevens, Frank Dyer and Harry Chase have had their turns with the grip.

—The basement of Rosenfield Block occupied by Fred Lothrop has been repaired. Litchfield the mason, and Holbrook the carpenter did the job.

—Miss Emma Culton, who resides with her mother on Taylor street, had a narrow escape from death Wednesday night of last week by escaping coal gas. She was found by her mother in an insensible condition the next morning, but was restored to consciousness by Dr. Bridgham.

—Quite a number of the Thayer Academy students are getting the Globe Encyclopedia Britannica.

—John Carmichael, janitor of the town house, has inflamatory rheumatism in his arm.

—Several parties were fishing through the ice on Little Pond, Saturday.

—Joseph Hollis' daughter is quite ill with scarlet fever.

—Prof. J. B. Sewell is improving slowly.

—George W. Trefry of Boston has purchased through H. B. Vinton, R. H. Porter's house on Franklin street, off Pearl.

—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Braintree Savings Bank was held Wednesday evening Jan. 6. They elected the following officers: pres., B. F. Dyer; vice-pres., N. H. Hunt, P. D. Holbrook, and G. D. Willis; sec. and treas., C. H. Hobart.

—Rev. D. M. Cleveland, of the Massachusetts Baptist Convention, preached at Odd Fellows hall, Sunday.

—An attempt is to be made to form a Baptist society.

—Walter Holbrook is at work fitting up the trunk factory for the occupation of Rice and Hutchins.

—The Methodist society is holding meetings every evening. Rev. Mr. Shaw, from the West, spoke Sunday night.

—Some of the young men have formed a club for social intercourse. They have rooms over Whitman's harness shop.

—Representative B. H. Woodsum is placed on the committee on liquor laws as well as on the special committee to count the votes for governor.

—The town report is nearly ready for the press.

—Charles Chapman of Bridgewater has moved to this town. He is employed by the O. C. R. R. as a section boss.

—Wm. S. Dexter, trus., sec., and treas., of the Thayer Academy has resigned. R. L. Gardner of Newton succeeds him.

Electric Bitters.

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South Weymouth Items.

—Postmaster Vining is to be commended as the only postmaster in town who advertises the opening and closing of the mails and the letters not called for in the Gazette—He tries, evidently, to benefit the public by so doing, at his own expense.

—Since making out the list of persons in the South Parish, last August, six have passed away: Roxana Vining, Mr. H. N. Bowker, Reuben Loud, Mary Vining, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Vining.

—The "Eclipse" quartette eclipsed everybody that they had dealings with, the landlord, printer and janitor included.

—One of O. Cushing's depot wagons was turned into a trycicle near Nash's Corner a few days ago.

—Major Dan W. Barrows has sold his pair of matched horses to parties in Boston.

—The M.D.'s are overworked in this village. Some have as many as 70 patients, and it is said that Dr. C. C. Tower was forty-eight hours without sleep. It is estimated that one hundred and fifty persons are on the sick list in South Weymouth.

—The Andrew Shanahan Benefit netted near four hundred dollars last Friday night.

—Wm. T. Hope, who was on the train that had a crash a few weeks ago, is quite a sufferer with a lame back and a sprained foot.

—The many friends of Mrs. Joseph Harding will be glad to hear that she is getting better.

—Mrs. Wallace Hunt has been quite sick the past week with strong indications of pneumonia.

—Frank Clavin, a young man who has been sick a long time, died on Friday, the 8th. And a young lady the daughter of James A. Thomas, who resides on Central street, passed away last Friday of the lingering disease of consumption.

—The ice cutters begin to look a little sober.

—Wm. H. Richards, a member of Post 58, died very suddenly last Sunday morning. After breakfast he went into a little shop to take a smoke and dropped dead without a struggle. Age 73.

—Sickness prevails to such an extent in this village that it is impossible to give any acurate account of the number and their condition. Among those who have been and are quite sick at the present time is Mr. Edward Nolan and wife. Melville S. Raymond's house has had six sick at the same time. Elma Sherman's family are all down sick. It is much easier to tell of those who are well than those who are sick.

—Wildey Lodge, No. 21, I. O. O. F. will work the first and second degrees on three candidates next Monday evening and in view of the interest that exists at the present time a large attendance is expected. Fifty members of the Lodge accompanied District Deputy Thomas to Hanover last Friday evening.

—One of the most notable and interesting events in the history of Odd Fellowship in this vicinity will take place here Monday evening, Jan. 25, when Grand Master J. B. Crawford and his full suite will install the officers of Wildey Lodge. Before the installation there will be some degree work and a grand banquet will be one of the features of the evening with speeches by the Grand Officers. A large and efficient committee has charge of the arrangements and will make the occasion a success.

—The announcement of the death of Frederick E. Wright came with all the force of the unexpected since it has not generally been known that he was ill. The many friends and acquaintances of the artist cannot fail to be touched deeply, for there was in Mr. Wright a certain winning quality which made him friends wherever he was known. Of the utmost fineness of fibre, of great delicacy of perception and feeling, of thoroughly artistic instinct and with well trained perceptions, he belonged to the inner circle of Boston artists, and it will not be easy to fill his place. Mr. Wright was of a nature sensitive, naturally reticent, but sympathetic and keenly appreciative; with high ideals and with an earnest nature. He never gave over the struggle after that which appealed to him as the highest and best; and his life was full of devotion to noble ideals. He has left behind him work which was good, straight-forward, conscientious and ideal; and by this and by the sweetness and nobility of his character he will be long remembered and regretted.—Boston Courier.

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—Leland T. Powers in "David Garrick" next Friday night in Institute course.

—There is in the Grammar school in Ward 5 a boy eleven years old who is in the second class at the present time who has not been absent or tardy since entering the school over a year and one-half ago, and his total average last year was 86. This in itself is not much, but without taking one moment of his school hours, he has bought and sold candy, from the sale of which he has cleared enough to clothe and find shoes for himself, paid $5 toward putting a stone at his father's grave, spent dollars in making presents to others and has a bank book representing about $40.

—The blacksmiths have reaped the harvest they have been looking for for a long time.

—Miss Helen Rockwood is attending to school again, having been confined to the house with the la grippe.

—The Grand Army attended the funeral of Comrade W. H. Richards last Tuesday.

—The firemen of Wards 4 and 5 have decided to give a grand concert and ball on the night of Feb. 19th, at Fogg's hall. Nothing will be left undone to make this one of the pleasantest gatherings the firemen have ever held.

—Mrs. Delia Mitchell, a lady well-known in this village, who resided in Quincy, went to Cambridge to spend Christmas where she was taken sick, and died on the 7th. Quite a number from this village attended the funeral at Quincy last Saturday.

—Robert Healy of this village and Miss Elizabeth Maden of Boston were united in marriage last Tuesday. Their home will be on Union street.

—John F. Sullivan and Miss Lillian Purcell who were united in marriage a few weeks ago, will make their home in Holliston for the present.

The old Weymouth Glee Club.

The Weymouth Glee club was formed fifty-three years ago this winter at the residence of Mr. Elias Hunt. A. N. Hunt was chosen president, Elias Hunt and Elias Richards vice-presidents. The society consisted of fifteen or sixteen active and as many more honorary members. First and second violin, bassoon and violincello composed the orchestra. The singing books used were the Boston Glee Book and the Orphean Lyre, a collection of very pleasing music but difficult to perform correctly. Rehearsals were given fortnightly at the members' residences during the winter months.

During the intermission cold water and confectionery were served as a collation. After a while nuts and cake were added, and not long after a hot turkey supper with all the fixings was considered none too good for the Weymouth Glee Club.

The society was in existence about five years. The costly entertainments probably killed it as but few could afford them. Once we were invited to Mr. Munro's of the firm of Richards & Munro, granite dealers of Quincy, where we met the Quincy Glee Club with nearly a hundred invited guests (big supper); another time we were invited to Bryant Newcome's and after that to Col. Minot Thayer's where we met many of his Boston friends (turkey and goose). The last time we sang was at Mr. Ezra Leach's, when in his palmy days.

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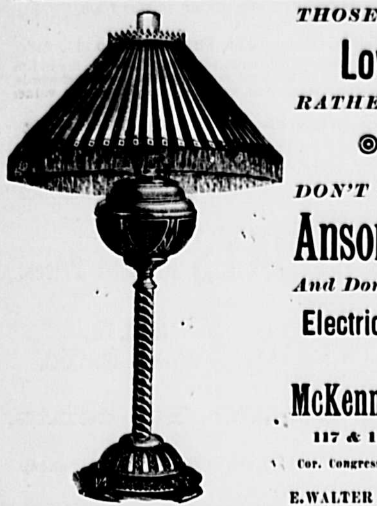

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If New Year's eve night wind blow south,
It betokeneth warmth and growth;
If west, much milk and fish in the sea;
If north, much cold and storms there will be;
If east, the trees will bear much fruit;
If northeast, flee it, man and brute.

Empty pockets and empty cupboards on New Year's eve have long portended, with those who believe in auguries, a year of poverty. A fresh suit of clothes to be worn on New Year's day, taking care that the pockets contain money, is supposed to insure one's being well dressed with a well filled purse throughout the year—a supposition which appears not unreasonable in the case of those who have managed to emerge in such good shape from the season of Christmas gift giving.

Single people are advised in popular folk lore to take note of the Christian name of the first person they see of the opposite sex on New Year's morning, as it will prove to be that of the future husband or wife. According to the advice of "wise women," you ought to encourage all persons with dark hair and eyes to enter your house as first visitors on New Year's morning; for a light complexioned person, especially one with red hair, bodes ill luck and misfortune during the year. According to this same lore a woman should never be allowed to enter the house first on Christmas day; it is an ill omen.

In many houses the fire is never allowed to be extinguished during or on the eve of the New Year. You are also advised to burn all Christmas decorations in the shape of holly and ivy by the twelfth day or your house will be haunted by evil spirits.

The desire that the first comer of the new year should not be empty handed is expressed by the old English rhyme:

> Take out and then take in,
> Bad luck will begin;
> Take in and then take out,
> Good luck comes about.

Should a single person by any chance have two spoons placed in or beside a single cup, it is a sign of marriage before the close of the year—unless the event happens on the 31st of December, when marriage may be looked for during the following year.

Wonders of the English Language.

The construction of the English language must appear most formidable to a foreigner. One of them looking at a picture of a number of vessels said, "See what a flock of ships!" He was told that a flock of ships was called a fleet, and that a fleet of sheep was called a flock. And it was added for his guidance in mastering the intricacies of our language that "a flock of girls is called a bevy, that a bevy of wolves is called a pack, and a pack of thieves is called a gang, and a gang of angels is called a host, and a host of porpoises is called a shoal, and a shoal of buffaloes is called a herd, and a herd of children is called a troop, and a troop of partridges is called a covey, and a covey of beauties is called a galaxy, and a galaxy of ruffians is called a horde, and a horde of rubbish is called a heap, and a heap of oxen is called a drove, and a drove of blackguards is called a mob, and a mob of whales is called a school, and a school of worshipers is called a congregation, and a congregation of engineers is called a corps, and a corps of robbers is called a band, and a band of locusts is called a swarm, and a swarm of people is called a crowd."

Celestial Empire and Flowery Kingdom.

Dr. Williams, in his work on "The Middle Kingdom," says: "The term now frequently heard in western countries—the Celestial empire—is derived from Tien Chau—i. e., 'Heavenly Dynasty,' meaning the kingdom which the dynasty appointed by heaven rules over; but the term 'Celestials,' for the people of that kingdom, is entirely of foreign manufacture, and their language could with difficulty be made to express such a patronymic. The phrase Li Min, or 'Black Haired Race,' is a common appellation; the expressions Hwa Yen, the 'Flowery Language,' and Chung Hwa Kwoh, the 'Middle Flowery Kingdom,' are also frequently used for the written language of the country, because the Chinese consider themselves to be among the most polished and civilized of all nations—which is the sense of hwa (translated 'flowery') in these phrases."

An Ancient and Historic Edible.

Of all edible pods, it is believed that the bean has been the longest known and most widely cultivated. It was used as food by the ancient Jews and considered sacred by the Greeks and Romans, says an authority. A temple dedicated to Kyanetes, called the god of beans, formerly stood on the sacred road near Eleusis. Kyanetes was called the god of beans because he was the first to cultivate them for food. The bean feast, which the Athenians celebrated in honor of Apollo, was characterized by the excessive use of beans. The Egyptians, contrary to the nations above mentioned, considered beans unclean and would not venture to touch them. Pythagoras admonished his scholars, "Abstain from beans." The natives of Egypt and most oriental nations look upon the black speck on the wings of the bean flower as the written character of death.

The Montezumas—The Alamo.

The Montezumas were two of the emperors of ancient Mexico. Montezuma I ascended the throne about 1437. He died in 1471. Montezuma II, the last of the Mexican emperors before its subjugation by the Spaniards, succeeded to the throne in 1502. He died June 20, 1520.

During the Texan war of independence 140 Texans were besieged in a fort called the Alamo, near San Antonio, by 2,000 Mexicans. Santa Anna finally stormed the place, and six Texans who survived the conflict were subsequently murdered after surrendering under a promise of protection. As the Detroit Free Press briefly explains, "Remember the Alamo!" was ever after a thrilling Texan war cry.

Derivations of a Few Common Names.

Blankets, it is said, were named after their first makers, three brothers of Bristol, England, named Edward, Edmund and Thomas Blanket, who established a large trade in this article of woolen goods, and were the earliest manufacturers of it in the middle of the Fourteenth century.

Cambrics, we are told, came from Cambray, a town in French Flanders famous for its fine linens; and damask originated in Damascus.

Calico is derived from Calicut, on the Malabar coast, and muslin from Moussoul, a city of Asiatic Turkey, giving evidence that though these goods are now sent to India and the east they were originally imported thence.

FASHIONS

SUITS FOR LITTLE BOYS.

Shirts of Soft Silk and Jackets and Coats of White Washing Corduroy.

The attention of mothers who desire picturesque costumes for their little boys is attracted to the soft silk shirts, with tiny frills carried around the collar and down the front, worn with a jacket made of white corduroy. Such jackets are generally made with revers. They look well also in navy blue with a red striped jacket, or in white corduroy with a pale blue blouse and white frills. In the accompanying cut is shown a charming little suit of white washing corduroy, suitable for a boy from three to six years old. The loose coat is worn over a full shirt of pale blue surah, with large collar and frills of cream colored silk. The lancer suit represented by the larger figure in the same cut is made in fawn colored homespun. The trousers are confined at the knee with three buttons. The double breasted jacket is confined about the waist with a broad belt.

SUIT IN HOMESPUN—SUIT IN WHITE CORDUROY.

A picturesque outdoor garment is a little white corduroy coat falling full from the shoulders to the hem of the skirt, the fullness headed by a deep frill on the shoulders composed at the throat of Irish point lace. A white felt tricorn hat trimmed with three pompons is becomingly worn with the white coats. Double breasted coats of white plush are also seen, and these also clean well. Nothing is so becoming or so well worn for little children as white, and white cloth, white velvet and white felt hats are alike trimmed with beaver—a pretty contrast.

The Diversity in Silks.

There is a great diversity in the silk fabrics this season, and in many of these the idea is moire. Most of the silks have satin stripes introduced of different widths and of intermixed colorings. A new design has shaded stripes about an inch wide, in two or three tones on a white or black ground, and sometimes shot. Five music lines, each of a different color, are another feature, and one of the new shades is the china blue. In brocades the Louis Quinze patterns, with large shells, out of which flowers seem to pour, are taking the place of bows, and are rather newer than the baskets. Such patterns appear on black grounds in one uniform color, such as old rose or heliotrope. For bridal gowns large satin knots appear on a peau de soie ground, and a bold and beautiful pattern in bridal brocade shows a large Louis XV basket, with oats, roses and marguerites; but white moire will be worn for weddings, striped with satin. Black moires of a similar make are striped with colors. Some handsome silks have large tassels brocaded in white on yellow, forming a part of a handsome Spanish fringe brocaded on the material. Those who want a really useful black gown should take advantage of some pretty brocaded satin in several patterns. The brocaded velvets on silk and satin grounds are nearly all in geometric styles or curiously waved, like the ripples left by the ocean on the sand.

Evening Blouses.

Evening blouses couldn't be prettier. They are made of silk muslin, crepe de chine, or embroidered gauze in inconceivably lovely colors. Some are soft silk and lace, with a colored ribbon twisted twice around the waist and knotted in front. A pretty bodice, made to fit outside the dress, is pale blue surah with gauze sleeves and a gauze frill around the neck and basque. It is cut in a V in front and arranged in soft folds. Another is white surah, trimmed in the same way as the one described, with scalloped frills of pink embroidered gauze. It has long sleeves, trimmed all the way up with gauze. One that is both substantial and pretty is of black surah with a trimming of tiny black feathers around the neck, and short sleeves.

BLOUSE IN SURAH SILK.

In the accompanying illustration is shown an attractive blouse in surah silk, the trimmings of which consist of kilting of the same around the neck, and elbow sleeves.

The Loose Back Coat.

The latest thing in outdoor attire—only ultrafashionable women are wearing it yet, but it will be the rage presently—is the loose back coat. In shape it is almost the same as a man's covert coat, with a pocket on each side for the hands, a rolled over collar, and large pearl buttons at the side. It is usually made of box cloth, serge, or velvet, lined with silk to match, or tartan.

Qui Vive?

The French qui vive (who goes there?) is the challenge of a French sentinel. To be on the qui vive means to be on the alert; to be quick and sharp; to be on the tiptoe of expectation, like a sentinel on guard.

Roast Duck.

Ducks to be good must be cooked rare; for this reason it is best not to stuff them, but to cut an onion in two and put it into the body of the bird; then truss and dredge with salt, pepper and flour and roast in a quick oven thirty minutes. Serve with currant jelly and a sauce made the same as for turkey.

ETIQUETTE

DRAWING ROOM MEETINGS.

One Way in Which Society Assists Philanthropic Enterprises.

The English fashion of holding "drawing room meetings" finds increasing favor because of its convenience when it is important that persons whose interest is desired in some philanthropic movement should become known to each other and to the promoters of the undertaking. At a drawing room meeting social amenities and exchange of ideas can take place almost without interruption, a thing impossible on a public platform. Another point in favor of drawing room meetings is that many ladies incapable of doing much toward helping on some meritorious scheme are glad to place their drawing rooms at the disposal of more active workers and to thus save the hire of a suitable hall or place of meeting—a no inconsiderable drain upon the funds of any young and small society, and, to mention a small point—the refreshments—tea, coffee, etc., which are always given at its conclusion, is a further social element toward success. Again, drawing room meetings are held in the afternoon and the most occupied of women can spare half an hour to look in and hear an address.

The arrangements, according to English etiquette, are carried out with little variation, although the invitations are not always in exactly the same words. One printed form, for example, will run thus: "A drawing room meeting" (first line); then, in smaller type, "will be held at 20 Clinton avenue, by kind permission of Mrs. Graham, on Wednesday, Jan. 3, on behalf of," etc. On the next line is the information that "—— has kindly consented to preside and an address will be given by," etc. If any well known name can be inserted it is usual to do so. On the next line, "The pleasure of your company is earnestly invited." "Tea and coffee 5:30 p. m." is put in one corner of the card. "R. S. V. P." and the address in the other. On this form the name of the person to whom the invitation is given is not written, and the cards are distributed by the members of a society to their friends and to their friends' friends.

Another and more friendly form runs thus:

"Mrs. —— at home;" above this is the name of the person "and friends" invited; at the top of the card the name of the society; under the words "At home" is given the date, the day, and the hour, and the names of the different gentlemen by whom addresses will be given. In one corner, as before, is the address, and in the other "Tea and coffee at four" and "R. S. V. P." When an invitation to a drawing room meeting is in this wise, it is usual for the hostess to shake hands with all comers, and strangers are introduced to her by their friends; but when the invitations are issued in the first form, the lady in whose house the meeting is held does not come forward to receive the whole of the company.

The arrangements for these meetings are very simple. The speakers place themselves in the most convenient part of the room, a small table is close at hand for books, papers, etc., and rows of chairs are placed as at a concert. Tea and coffee are given in the dining room at the conclusion of the meeting, the hostess leading the way with the speakers, the general company following in their wake. The company take their departure from the tearoom. Drawing room meetings commence at 3 p. m., 3:30 and at 4, to suit the convenience of the speakers.

GOOD HEALTH

POPULAR CORN CURES.

How Some of the Newest and Most Effective Remedies Are Compounded.

In "Notes on New Remedies," Dr. H. M. Whelpley tells in Popular Science News that probably the most popular corn cures depend on the action of salicylic acid. Among the many therapeutic properties of this comparatively new remedy is its power to disintegrate epithelial tissue. It is usually combined with cannabis indica. Dr. Whelpley says: "The form I have found useful is to mix nine parts of salicylic acid with one part of extract of cannabis indica and forty-eight parts of collodion. This is applied to the corn every night with a camel's hair brush. The foot should be clean before it is applied and the mixture permitted to thoroughly dry before it comes in contact with clothing.

I am aware that there are several other formulas published for this same mixture, and that they usually call for less of the salicylic acid, but I believe the above amount should be used in order to get good results.

A salicylic acid corn plaster is made by mixing six parts of resin and adding five parts of balsam of fir, and then stirring in ten parts of salicylic acid as it cools. This can be spread on any suitable medium for a plaster. When used the corn must not be rubbed with the shoe.

Lanolin forms the basis of another salicylic acid plaster and cocaine is added with the idea of making it painless.

A solution for the cure of corns has been made by dissolving thirty grains of tannic acid in one ounce of a mixture of equal parts of tincture of iodine, acetic acid and glycerin.

News and Notes.

A foreign medical journal records the successful use in a number of cases of a plate of polished celluloid for closing the opening in the skull left by the operation of trephining.

One of the most common causes of dyspepsia is eating heartily when the system is tired and jaded. When exhausted by either mental or physical work we are usually ravenously hungry, and of course turn to food as the means of restoration. The fact is seldom appreciated that the stomach is not in a condition to work well and that a slight interval of rest is advisable before eating.

An Austrian regimental surgeon has drawn a comparison between the wounds caused by the new small caliber bullets and those made by less recent forms of projectiles. He pronounces in favor of the former, saying that the soft parts are less bruised and the bones less shattered. At fighting distances the bullets hardly ever remain in the body, and the wounds are smooth, clean and of small diameter—conditions giving fair chances of recovery.

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How the Expression "Before You Can Say Jack Robinson" Originated.

This current phrase is derived from a humorous song by Hudson, a tobacconist in Shoe lane, London, England, who lived about the close of the last century. He was a professional song writer and vocalist, who was engaged at supper rooms and theatrical performances.

How the Apostles Died.

St. Matthew is supposed to have suffered martyrdom or to have been slain with a sword in Arabia Felix. St. Mark was dragged through the streets of Alexandria in Egypt until he expired. St. Luke was hanged upon an olive tree in Greece. St. John was put into a cauldron of boiling oil in Rome, but escaped death. He afterward died a natural death at Ephesus in Asia. St. James the Great was beheaded at Jerusalem. St. James the Less was thrown from a pinnacle or wing of the temple and then beaten to death with a fuller's club. St. Philip was hanged up against a pillar at Hieropolis, a city of Phrygia. St. Bartholomew was flayed alive by the command of a barbarous king. St. Andrew was bound to a cross, from which he preached to the people until he expired. St. Thomas was run through the body with a lance at Caronadel in the East Indies. St. Jude was shot to death with arrows. St. Simon Zealot was crucified in Persia. St. Matthias was first stoned and then beheaded. St. Barnabas was stoned to death by the Jews at Salania. St. Paul was beheaded at Rome by the tyrant Nero. St. Peter, or Simon Peter, according to the tradition of the early church, was crucified at Rome about the same time as St. Paul.

How the Russians Keep Eggs.

They set them small end down in crocks, then pour in melted tallow till the crock is full and let it harden.

How to Solder.

A tinker needs few tools for his soldering. A fire, a soldering iron, a bar of solder, a lump of rosin and a brick will set him up in trade. Watch him never so closely and you will be likely to miss one trick on which his success hangs. If you try soldering yourself you must know it. Heat your iron very hot, not necessarily red hot, but hot enough to melt the solder on contact. Then let a few drops of the solder fall on the brick and rub the iron in the molten metal till it (the iron) is well covered. Then go ahead; the rest is easy. Crumble a little rosin on the spot that is to be tinkered. Melt as much solder as you need, letting it fall on the rosin, and rub the iron over it till you have it well in place. It will cool very quickly. If you don't cover the iron thinly with solder first you can't do the job.

To Remove Tar Spots from Carpets.

Cover the tar spot with butter; the tar and butter will combine and can be sponged out with soap and warm water.

How to Make Beaten Biscuits.

This is the most wholesome form of hot bread. The biscuits are sometimes called in the north and east "Maryland biscuits," but they did not originate there and are common all over the south. Rub one-quarter of a pound of lard into 1½ pounds of flour, adding a pinch of salt. Mix enough milk or water with it to make a stiff dough. Beat the dough well with a rolling pin for half an hour or more, or until it blisters under the blows and will break when pulled. Little machines come for the purpose of working the dough instead of beating it. This is a good substitute, as it saves labor. Roll the dough out to a little less than half an inch in thickness, cut it into little biscuits, pricking each one with a fork, and bake. They are best served hot, but are also good cold.

How to Sweep a Carpet.

Incline the handle of the broom a little forward and give a light drawing stroke. The stroke should be such as to roll the dirt along the carpet, not to throw it up and forward. Old tea leaves or little bits of damp paper help to take up the dirt.

How Some Polysyllables Are Pronounced.

Antipodes—an-*tip*-o-dees. Arch—in English compounds, such as archbishop, archduke, etc., *artch;* but in words derived from the Greek, *ark;* for instance, archaic is pronounced ar-*ka*-ik; archæology, ar-ke-*ol*-o-gy; archangel, ark-*ain*-gel; archetype, *ar*-ke-type; archiepiscopal, ar-ke-e-*pis*-co-pal; archipelego, ar-ke-*pel*-a-go; archives, *ar*-kivz, etc. Asparagus—as spelled, not asparagrass. Biography—as spelled, not *be*-ography. Covetous—*cuv*-e-tus, not cuv-e-chus. Courteous—curt-yus. In bronchitis, tonsilitis, laryngitis and similar names of local inflamations sound the *i* long, as bron-*kei*-tis, etc.

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Officials Eat Dinner in a Sewer.

Mayor Chapin, Mayor Elect Boody, City Works Commissioner Adams and many other city and county officials in Brooklyn took dinner recently in the big new relief sewer, more than fifty feet under ground. The subterranean festivities were in celebration of the connection between the two sections of the sewer, on which work has been in progress for two years. The visitors descended the shaft at Washington and Greene avenues and walked through the mammoth sewer, which was lighted with candles and electric lamps to a point in Greene avenue, near Vanderbilt, and there they witnessed the process of connecting the sections.

They then passed from one section to the other, and at a point midway between the Washington avenue and Hanson place shafts a dinner was served and speeches made. Commissioner Adams and the engineers were duly congratulated on the work. When the sewer is completed in March, an opportunity will be given to the public to inspect it. Mayor Chapin said:

"I think the public should be allowed to come down here and make a trip through the sewer, so that they can see what they are paying taxes for."

The sewer is 12,500 feet in length, of which 9,400 feet is tunnel. It is 15 feet in diameter. It will cost more than $1,000,000.—New York Sun.

"Seeing Things" in the Darkness.

We knew of a little girl of lively imagination who, on being put to bed, would always insist on her elder sister closing her eyes for her before leaving the room, the little creature being possessed of the fancy that with a kind, parting touch on her lids there would be less chance of her "seeing anything" in the darkness. She would have found a sympathizer with her fears in the old naval officer who once told Mary Somerville that he never opened his eyes in the dark for fear of seeing something.

Few indeed of wise or simple are free from this strange horror of darkness. We find those of every temperament and of every capacity, not only poetic, but practical, confess to it—from the great philosopher like Sir David Brewster, who owned himself susceptible to eerie feelings when alone at night in a house supposed to be haunted, to the least imaginative child.

"The things that day most minds, at night doe most appeare," says Spenser, and this is especially true with regard to children, perhaps because they mind things more. It should however be an additional inducement to those who have charge of them to keep their days as free from pain as possible.—Argosy.

An Old Copper Mine.

An ancient copper mine, which was first worked 1,183 years ago, is about to be reopened in Musashi, Japan. Old Japanese manuscripts of undoubted authenticity mention this name. Its galleries and levels are in some cases just as they were 700 years ago.—Yankee Blade.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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Read This, Ye Sceptics!

GEO. W. BOULTER, of Belfast, Me., for three years a member of the city government, and also member of Thos. H. Marshall Post, No. 42, G. A. R., is well and favorably known as a thoroughly reliable man. He says under date of March 24, 1890:—

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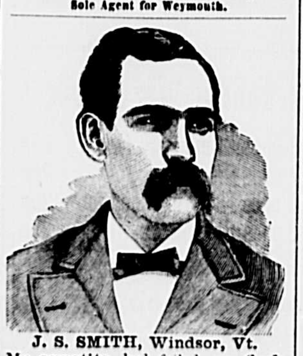

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Sec. 43. When a physician knows that any person whom he is called to visit is afflicted with . . . any disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the . . . Board of Health of the town, and if he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forgeit for each offence a sum not less than $50, or more than $100.

The Board considers the above sections to apply to Diptheria, Scarlet Fever, Small Pox, Measles and Whooping Cough.

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Weymouth, March, 1890.

Mortgagee's Sale.

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Pursuant to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by William H. Murray to Noah B. Thayer, dated February 28, 1887, and recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds, lib. 588, fol. 317, and assigned by said Noah B. Thayer, October 14, 1891, to R. Wallace Hunt, and recorded in said registry, lib. 665, fol. 364, will be sold at Public Auction on the premises for breach of the conditions of said mortgage,

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at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the Real Estate described in said deed, to wit: A certain tract or parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Weymouth, in said County of Norfolk, Massachusetts, called South Weymouth, and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Southeasterly on Pleasant street, northeasterly by land now or late of one Larabee, northwesterly by land now or late of Joseph B. Howe and Avery S. Howe, and southwesterly by land now or late of C. M. Grundstrom. For title, see said registry, lib. 361, fol. 12. Said premises will be sold subject to a prior mortgage of fifteen hundred dollars and accrued interest and unpaid taxes if any, together with all benefit and equity of redemption of the said Murray, his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns therein.

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Hannah Fearing's Fortune.

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CHAPTER I.

"I must say, Hannah, I think you're going agin your own interest in keeping that old man; there isn't any call that I can see. He ain't your kith nor kin—no kind of a blood relation. You're not morally obligated, and I wouldn't think of keeping him."

The speaker was a tall, thin man, whose homespun clothes hung loosely on his badly jointed frame. His lean face was hollow and freckled, and his pale blue eye was as cold as a frozen pond in January. He raked his sharp chin, stubbled with a rough red growth, with his long, meager, yellow hand. Although he was still a comparatively young man, he stooped like an old one, and his shoulders were contracted almost to the point of deformity.

"I know you wouldn't think of keeping him, Joel," said the woman addressed as Hannah, a trim, small, bright eyed person, with humorous lines running away from the corners of her mouth and a dark, thin face furrowed with care and trouble and much hard labor. "The age of miracles is over, so folks say," and she broke into a sarcastic laugh that showed several deficiencies in her naturally good set of teeth.

She was standing by Joel's wagon with her apron thrown over her head, for the early spring was still shrewish, and a pitcher in her hand. Joel, who was her brother-in-law, peddled milk through the town, though he was a rich farmer and there was no occasion for his following a humble calling. Mrs. Fearing paid Joel the highest market price for her daily supply. He had never given her a drop of the fluid except on one occasion, in very warm weather, when the milk had soured on his hands in a thunder storm and he did not care to carry it home. Now he gave her a venomous glance from under his heavy red eyelids, puckered and folded in curious fashion and denuded of lashes; neither had he any visible eyebrows, which imparted to his cold eyes a curious dazed stare.

"I don't believe in doin' that kind of thing for folks," said he, after a moment's pause. "It generally hurts 'em 'Taint the kind of thing that's needed to spur 'em up and make 'em do for themselves."

"No danger of your ever hurting folks that away," said Hannah with another biting laugh. "Your callin' and election's sure so far as that goes, Joel. I guess you'd have helped me and the children some when we was left so poorly off if it hadn't been for your principles; and you see, Joel, what a splendid success we've made of keeping ourselves. I know you're a man who wouldn't put your hand in your pocket for nothing in this world if you thought it was going to make people lazy and shiftless."

Joel turned a pale sea green color and set his thin lips together in a straight line. His sister-in-law knew the sensitive, exposed places in his armor and was skillful in shooting her bitter arrows. He turned uneasily and shuffled away toward his milk cart, but Hannah was close behind him like a visible Nemesis in a faded brown calico gown. It was a great relief to her overwrought nerves to unburden her mind to Joel Fearing.

"You know," she went on, as she followed him toward the cart, raising her voice a little, "that was what ailed your brother Anson; he was too generous and open handed and he went against his own interests, and you always condemned Anson and thought so poorly of him it would have been a sin for you to help his widow in her straits, you know it would. And after poor Anson died you brought in a bill against him for borrowed money that most covered all his interest in the undivided half of his father's homestead, and you made me sign a quitclaim to the property though I felt sure that debt had been paid, and you came into possession of the whole of that nice old farm, with all the stock and farm implements and the woodlots on the Dewsville road, and there was only bare enough left of Anson's share to pay his funeral expenses."

She stopped suddenly, as if something was choking her. Joel took advantage of the pause in the torrent of her passionate speech to climb awkwardly into his wagon, and from that safe vantage he was enabled to fire a parting shot at the enemy.

"I don't wonder Anson died young," said he in his slow way, "for don't Scriptur' say it's better to have smoke in the eyes than to live in a house with a brawling woman?" He gave his old horse a smart smack with the whip that made him leap in ungainly, rheumatic fashion, and Hannah turned quickly and entered her house, standing for a moment by the open door with the apron still thrown over her head, while her throat seemed torn by hard, dry sobs. Not a patient woman was Hannah Fearing, and strong, too, in all her feelings—a good hater and an ardent lover. Her husband's people called her proud, and Joel said she was obstinate and self willed and as vicious as his old brindle cow. But Joel was known to be a notorious falsifier, so that his opinion did not count for much in Littlefield. Joel naturally abhorred that type of woman, and had chosen for his helpmeet one of the meek and colorless ones of the earth.

Hannah was standing in her spotless little kitchen, where the range fire blazed fiercely, for it was ironing day, and a great pile of folded clothes lay in the basket and the table stood ready with its snowy ironing cloth. The things must be done up and carried home before dark, for Judge Bright's new shirts were in demand for his journey to Washington and Mrs. Price needed her baby things—wonderful caps and bibs and frocks and slips. It was Mrs. Price's first, and, as everybody knows, the first always gets more ruffles and frills and puffs and fine embroidery than those that come later.

But Hannah let her irons get overheated as she stood there with the dry sobs suddenly shaking her breast and her brown, sinewy hand clinched on the edge of the table. All the past had come rolling upon her like a torrent, and it would have way, for in a nature like Hannah's there are crises like sudden thunder showers that clear the air, and when they had passed the bright sun shone, the heavens were blue overhead, and she put forth those great strokes of work for which she was famous among her neighbors. Every muscle was tense and strung to the utmost, and her skirts sounded like the breezes in a sail as she passed back and forth from the stove to the ironing table, and laid out the dainty white things on the clothes frames smelling of new grass and sweet like the breath of country clover.

But an encounter with Joel generally did stir up the bitter waters in Hannah's soul. It took her back to the time after Anson's death when her brother-in-law put in his heavy claim for debt and she had signed away her rights, though she felt morally sure the claim had been paid, but with her confused head and all the dull, stupid grief that weighed upon her from the suddenness of the blow, she could never clearly remember what Anson had told her about the note, and the acknowledgment of payment and all his other papers had strangely disappeared. She had lain awake nights trying in vain to catch up the floating threads of memory, and it was in her dazed, hopeless state that she had signed a release to her claim on the old farm. Then the anguish all came back of the time when she first knew that her little home in Littlefield was mortgaged up to its full value and must be sold on a foreclosure sale, and she and her two children would be turned into the street. She had humbled herself and gone on her knees to Joel but he had refused to help her.

He had called Anson improvident and careless about his affairs, and said he had no ready money to throw after that which his brother had already squandered. He had had dealings with Anson and had not come out unscathed in his transactions with his brother, so he said, as he looked on his sister-in-law's distress with cold, unsympathetic eye. She was the kind of a woman he hated, and partly, too, he feared her, for the sharpness of her sarcasm could always put to flight his wits and make him play a sorry part. So he buttoned his long pockets and determined, as he profanely said, to let Providence take its course. If his sister-in-law came to eat grass, after the manner of a wicked king of old, would it not be a just punishment for her pride and stubborn independence of character, her putting away of good counsel and refusal to look up to those better and wiser than herself?

But poor Hannah was not brought down to eat the grass of the field as a special warning to an obdurate and stiff necked generation. It happened in that terribly cold week after her husband's funeral, when she sat dumb and stricken with her children gathered close under her wing by the scant fire in her kitchen stove, that help had come, heaven sent as Hannah ever after believed, for she, too, was religious, but in a different way from Joel. Anson's friend and employer Hiram Rand, in whose mill he had been foreman for many years, had paid off the mortgage on her house and had brought it to her as a free gift in his simple, mild fashion, as if it were an everyday occurrence and worthy of no special thanks. Mr. Rand was a quiet man, never known to get excited about anything except rare old books, of which he was very fond and possessed a precious store.

But he had his own unpretentious ways of finding out the needs of others and of doing good, and after Fearing's sudden death he had inquired carefully into the widow's circumstances, and the result of the inquiry was that he had without saying a word to any one, gone and paid off the mortgage on the widow's little home and practically made her a present of $2,500 When Hannah tried in vain to express her thanks and her conception of the magnitude of the present she had received, he begged her not to excite herself. Mr. Rand hated to be the cause of excitement in anybody unless it broke out over some rare old black letter volume. He intimated that in his judgment Anson had earned the sum over and above the salary he had received in his service, and he was only paying a just debt. Then he took up his hat and went out, closing the door softly behind him. He was a man of few words except on his own particular hobbies, and on them he would talk endlessly.

Now Hannah the moment Mr Rand left the house, dropped on her knees on the kitchen floor, and with the tears streaming from her eyes uttered such a prayer of praise and thanksgiving to God her children could never forget it to their dying day. From that moment everything was changed. The name of Hiram Rand became a sacred name in that humble little home. She taught her children to reverence and look up to it as to a guiding star. Her home secure, Hannah drank at once from deep wells of strength and inspiration. She felt equal to strenuous labor to rear and educate her children. The ambition of noble mothers stirred in her to give them the instruction she had never received in her poor neglected childhood. She lived by sewing and taking in washing and it was nothing to Hannah to rise at four and to go to bed at midnight that her children might be kept at school.

But strange unlooked for changes have occurred within the eight years since Anson died. Hiram Rand, who was then the richest man in Littlefield having inherited a fine fortune from an uncle and a flourishing business from his father, was now one of the poorest. Sometimes, with a quiet gleam of sad humor, he said to his friend Dr. Boskirk that he possessed nothing but what he had given away. While he sat quietly in his library gloating over his Elzevirs and Aldines, noble first editions in precious bindings, his fortune, in the hands of an unscrupulous agent, melted away in ruinous speculations. His stocks and bonds were involved in the embarrassment of a great railway and the failure of a metropolitan bank, and his mill and real estate all passed out of his hands to meet the liabilities thus incurred.

Then, as misfortunes like rooks always fly in black flocks, his only daughter, a beautiful girl, died just in the bloom of young womanhood, and his son was drowned on a yachting excursion in the Mediterranean. The old man, thus wrecked in his affections and fortunes fell into an illness, from which he arose after many weeks a broken and a disabled man, one side partially paralyzed and his left arm and hand quite useless. When he came to consciousness the auctioneers were in the lower rooms of his house knocking down the furniture to the lowest bidder, and Hannah Fearing was at his bedside, where she had faithfully held her post for six long weeks. The doctor had bid in a few of the precious old volumes from Rand's valuable library, and in less than a week after the sale the sick man and this little remnant of his fortunes, once great for a country town, were moved over to Hannah's best room, the parlor of the brown cottage where he had lived ever since on her care and bounty.

Hannah said she was paying a debt, and if she spent the remainder of her life in nursing Hiram Rand it would not make up to him what he had done for her. He was old, alone in the world without near relatives, poor and practically helpless, for he was nailed to his chair by paralysis and could only just manage to wheel himself from his bed to his reading table by the window. The quiet, unostentatious benefactions of the man had made him many friends but principally among the poor, who could do nothing but pray for him in his afflictions. Hannah had kept him now for three years, giving him the care of a loving and devoted daughter. He had taken it in the right spirit, for, as he often said, it is a rarer virtue to receive with grace than to give from your abundance. A peculiar bond had grown up between them as she cooked and washed for him, or nursed his ailments and kept the sunny little parlor where he lived as neat as wax, replying to all narrow minded criticism of her behavior with biting, sarcastic speech.

It was with immense pride and affection that Hannah looked at the old man whom she reverenced as a being of supernatural endowments. She was not a woman to do things by halves nor to stint her love and devotion. It was her belief that the old man had brought her good luck and a blessing, for had she not flourished uncommonly these three years past? Had not everybody been kind? Had not the world been made soft to her in many unexpected ways, and human love and appreciation been shown to her as they seldom were to her rich neighbors? But some of her hopes had miscarried. Do any of us bring all our little dream argosies into port? Sybil would never make a teacher. She had been forced to let her learn type writing and take a place in Lawyer Dinsmore's office.

Sybil was now eighteen and not at all of her mother's temperament, not at all, a driver with mighty power to turn off work, with tears and laughter lying close together in her fiery and impetuous soul; but round and soft and dreamy as callow birds in the west—the poetic young girl but half awake to the outer world and living in a realm of her own thoughts and fancies.

And Dick, too, had been taken from school and placed in the chemical works of the town. They were both earning a little, but it was a pang at Hannah's heart when she thought that Dick must be kept from his books. The boy had a real passion for mathematics, and nights after her labor, with a stocking to mend on her hand, the mother bent with her boy over his slate trying vainly to help him with the knotty problems.

Mr. Rand had no head for figures. He acknowledged it with sorrow. It was a singular defect in his constitution that had led to the wreck of his worldly affairs. As he said, he could not comprehend why two and two should invariably make four. But the old man had tried to form Dick's literary taste on the best models. He had recommended to him, as entertaining reading of the savoriest kind, Burton's "Melancholia," Sir Thomas Browne's "Essay on Burial Urns," Moore's "Utopia" and Isaak Walton's "Gentle Angler." The boy had come near breaking his mental teeth on these hard nuts, and had failed to crack any of them except Walton, who is meat for all ages.

Now we must go back to Hannah where she stood testing the hot iron close to her brown cheek, there in the little kitchen where the fresh clothes had begun to drift like snow banks in January filling chairs, baskets and tables with their daintiness. In a handsome pile were Judge Rivers' Washington shirts, shining with elbow gloss and the high splendor of the iron. Hannah had paused for a moment to listen at the old man's door. The doctor was within, and she heard the two old fellows laughing together, and the sound warmed the cockles of her heart. Presently the doctor came into the kitchen and closed the door behind him. He was a very large man, the heaviest, it was said, in Littlefield, and pursy to a degree that when he tried to get through Hannah's small doors he was obliged to turn edgewise. His tremendous nose, of no particular shape, was matched by a great double chin and heavy, hanging cheeks. But above rose one of the best and soundest of heads, a noble forehead with an eye like an eagle's, piercing, dark, terrible or benignant. It saw straight through all shams and could shine in tears or laughter, or chastise with a whip of scorpions.

The doctor's head was immense above his great, generous ears, and his capacious, shabby hat was set far back upon it. His clothes were rusty and spotted with chemicals, and he carried about with him the odor of the drug shop as doctors often do. His hands, strange to say, were small and fine, and seemed always involuntarily fingering a weak pulse. A sixth sense seemed to reside in those supersensitive hands. He came up to Hannah's ironing table, and a little furtive smile began to curl round her thin lips and light up her dark face, for she knew what was coming. The doctor had slipped a dollar greenback under the ironing stand.

"You know, Hannah," said he, in the wheedling, coaxing tone he used with nervous, fidgetty, unreasonable patients. "I couldn't think of taking the old man's money. You must use the fee to buy him some little comforts. Why, Hannah, it's such a privilege to come in and talk a bit with the old man. I don't do it half as often as I would like to; it seems a dissipation, like the opium habit or gin drinking. You should have heard him today; he was immense—way up in the starry spheres, and you would have thought that those old chaps who wrote his favorite books were right there in the room with him."

The doctor was talking against time and Hannah, as she paused in her work gave him a penetrating look. "I guess," said she slowly, "there are angels up there that smile, if they don't laugh right out, at some of the lies that's told down here. As if the old man had money to pay in fees. As if he had had a cent in his pocket since he came to me three years ago. We thought that mebbe some of his distant rich kin might think to send him a Christmas present but they never do. There's two things folks always keep clear of, doctor—poverty and pestilence."

"But it's to be remembered, Hannah," responded the doctor, "that the poor are always good to the poor. Without their kindness to each other the world would not go on. I've seen a good deal of human nature in my time, and I know it's awfully mean in spots, and in other spots it's lit up with heaven's own light—unexpected spots, too, mostly."

"Yes," said Hannah, softly setting down her iron. "When I think of you going round in the country in your old mud spattered shay, tending the tired farmers' wives, and the rheumatic old folks, and the sick babies, somehow I think of them lines in the Bible. 'The desert and the solitary place shall rejoice and the wilderness shall blossom like the rose.'"

"Sho, Hannah," said the doctor, pushing back his hat still further on his great head, and looking warm and embarrassed. "Who'd ever thought you would drop into poetry? What am I or any of us compared with that old philosopher in there nailed to his chair, helpless and half dead, and with the light of happiness all around him. I tell you, Hannah, he's a daily lesson to me. By the way, have you heard that Joel has had an offer for his farm? A big offer too. A city man is coming here to set up a racing stable and to raise fine stock. He's taken a fancy to the old place, and it is thought Joel will get almost any price he may ask. You know that detached piece of fifty acres on the Dewberry road the old man left in wood land? Well, it's coming right into the market. The town is growing rapidly out in that direction, and Joel talks of cutting it up into building lots and selling it off at so much the foot. They do say the best part of the town is going out that way, and Joel will know how to make his profit."

"That wood lot would have been mine and the children's," cried Hannah suddenly, throwing up her hand with a passionate gesture, "if I hadn't signed away our rights, and now the wicked flourish like a green bay tree."

"Tut, tut," said the doctor, in a mild tone of rebuke. "Think of the old man in there who never utters a word of complaint against those who have wronged him."

"I know," said Hannah, suddenly humbled; "he's a saint, and he's brought a blessing to this house, but I am not a patient nature and sometimes when I get to thinking about the past I'm most mad."

The doctor looked for a moment silently into the woman's thin, dark face and eager eyes. "I am sorry you signed away your rights to Joel," said he at last, "but if the old man's property turns out valuable beyond all that was expected, I shouldn't wonder if the court could rip up that agreement, for the children are still minors and in a way under its care."

Hannah's sinewy hand trembled with eagerness as she grasped the handle of the iron. "I was half crazy when I signed that paper. What with Joel nagging me about Anson's debt to him, and the mortgage on my house coming to foreclosure, and my heart in the grave with him I had lost—for he was a good man—and the children clinging to me and crying, I signed away their right and title. It was after that Mr. Rand came and brought me the paid up mortgage, and then I came to my senses for the first time and the tears moistened my dry and stony eyes."

"I know it all, Hannah," said the doctor, as if coaxing a sick child. "It don't do any good to keep going over those hard places in life. Let us look about and see what can be done in the present."

"Oh, if I could but find that paper acknowledging the payment of the money! It all comes back to me now just how it happened. You see, Anson met Joel in town and paid him and took a receipt, and Joel promised to bring the note next time he drove in from the farm. It was on a Saturday, and before the next Monday Anson lay dead. I remember seeing that paper in Anson's possession, and he must have kep' it along with the others, in a little tin box. Oh, if I only could remember about that box, where it was put," and Hannah drew in her breath sharply.

"I'm afraid it never will come to light," said the doctor, as if humoring one of Hannah's fixed delusions, "but if the wood lot proves to be worth double or treble the amount of the bill the agreement might be ripped up and the children come into their rights. I'm afraid you'll never prove fraud. Joel is too cunning an old fox."

"Yes, he's cunnin', that's a fact," said Hannah, "but he knew Anson was an awful careless man with papers and my husband, though he knew Joel was mean and tight, never thought he'd be unbrotherly in the way he's showed himself, to make me sign a release before my husband was hardly cold in his coffin. I guess I will speak to Lawyer Dinsmore. You know Sybil is his type writer and he might take an interest. I hain't much opinion of lawyers or lawin'; Anson never had, either," she added, with the narrow view of a woman who holds her dead husband's opinions as binding in all things, "but sometimes I s'pose they're necessary evils."

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While we have an efficient corps of regular contributors, there is much of interest that in the nature of things, they cannot get. Let your interest in your local paper and pride in your town lead you to aid in making the Gazette more bright and newsy. Surely the paper which labors week after week for the good of the town and its people, should be aided in every way by all good citizens.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 1892.

Our Congressman's speech in the national House on January 6th, upon the Russian Jews will be interesting reading to many of his Constituents in this town. The speech will be found in full in this paper.

Having heard some criticism upon the quality of the paper on which the Gazette has been printed, the criticism being that it tore easily, we wish to say to our readers that we are having a large lot of paper made especially for us which we hope and expect will fully meet the approbation of all. Meanwhile we are buying the best we can get. We aim to furnish a good newspaper in every way and thank those who have so kindly informed us of the need of stronger paper.

Considering the fact that there are but a few weeks intervening before the annual town meeting for the election of town officers and the transaction of other annual business, it is remarkably quiet all along the line.

We hear but little in regard to any great revolutions, yet in some circles there is more or less discussion of the advisability of trying to work a change in the chief board, that of the selectmen. It is a question as to whether the best interests of the town would not be better served by wiping out ward lines in this connection, and having a board of only three selectmen, who would be independent of local prejudices, as they would owe their election to the suffrages of the whole town.

Memorial Service.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Union church held memorial services last Sunday evening for Miss Helen Dwight, whose sad death was noticed in the Gazette last week, and who was an active member of this society. Miss Helen was the youngest member of the church and was also at the time she joined the youngest member this church has ever had.

The desk and piano were draped in white in which flowers were tastefully arranged, and an easel containing a cabinet photograph of the departed member, stood upon the piano.

The services were led by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Huckel, and special music was rendered as follows:—Solo, "One Sweetly, Solemn Thought," Miss Alice B. Blanchard; Longfellow's beautiful poem, 'Resignation,' was sung from manuscript by a quartette, which also rendered 'Jerusalem, The Golden'; a number of appropriate hymns were sung by all.

Short poetical selections were read by Misses Armington, Dinzey, Richards, Jenkins, Sheppard and Bagley, and heartfelt prayers were uttered by a number of the members.

We make a short extract from the pastor's remarks:

•••There were several things that were evident then, and that all who knew Miss Helen could not but have observed in her life since,—things pleasant to observe and pleasant to remember. She was thoughtful,—thoughtful, kindly and considerate above her years. She was unselfish,—this is the most Christian quality that any of us can show. She was thoroughly conscientious. She had a high sense of honor, a high sense of right and wrong. She was in a word, a pure, sweet young girl, one whom it was a pleasure to know and associate with, one who had the promise of a true and Christian womanhood.•••

Death of Henry Hill. Passed away at Cambridge in his 98th Year.

One of the oldest citizens, if not the oldest of this vicinity, passed away last Saturday. Mr. Henry Hill who has long resided in East Braintree, was widely known and loved for his excellent qualities of mind and heart, and was remarkable in retaining all his faculties in a surprising degree up to the time of his death. Within four or five years he has written and had printed, several small volumes of reminiscences, his life in Chile, etc., correcting all the proofs himself, unaided by eye-glasses. We can bear personal testimony to the pleasure of working with the genial gentleman in revising and correcting these works and listening to the stories which he dearly loved to tell.

Mr. Hill, with his wife, had been spending the winter with friends in Cambridge, where he was taken ill and died. The funeral and burial was at Cambridge on Tuesday. The services were conducted by Rev. E. E. Strong, an old friend. Rev. Mr. Huckel, Mr. Hill's pastor, was prevented by illness from being present.

Mr. Hill was born at Newburg, N. Y., Jan. 10, 1795, and shortly after that date his family moved to Catskill, N. Y. In 1809 he was clerk in the store of Hill & Smith, Wall street, New York. In 1815 he went to Paris as supercargo, arriving there just after the battle of Waterloo, and travelled in England and on the continent. In 1817 he went on business to Chile, and resided at Valparaiso four years, acting as United States consul for Valparaiso and Santiago. He was married in 1821 to Laura Porter, daughter of Rev. David Porter, D.D. of Catskill, N. Y. The next year he was elected treasurer of the American Board of Foreign Missions, and held that office until 1854. For 11 years he was a member of the prudential committee of the board, and for nine years he was treasurer of the American Tract Society of Boston. In 1865 he married Miss Rhoda Stetson of Braintree who survives him. He leaves three children, Rev. George E. Hill of Haverhill, Richard B. Hill of Brooklyn, N. Y. and Mrs. Joseph B. Leake of Chicago.

Weymouth Club Postponed.

The meeting of the Weymouth club has been postponed. It will be held in Lincoln hall, Weymouth, a week from Tuesday or the week after. Members will be notified by secretary.

Historical Society Will Meet.

The Weymouth Historical Society will hold its next regular meeting in the Tufts Library, Wednesday Jan. 27, at 7.30 p. m. Matters of importance.

Exceptions Overruled.

In the case of Howe vs. the Inhabitants of Weymouth, at Dedham, the exceptions were overruled by a rescript received from the Superior Court Jan 11. This settles the case and leaves the award as before, about $4800 with interest.

"Good deeds and helping the poor are the prayers that God receives in our favor, while mere words go by unnoticed."

For the Gazette.

NOT OLD.

BY MRS. E. E. BROWN.

They say I am old! but I smile at the thought,
Age is not measured by dial or line;
Old! when my heart is as glad as a girl's,
And music and mirth stir my pulses like wine!

The world is as fair to my vision to-day
As ever it was when to me it was new;
And hope seems as bright, and fruition as sure,
And friends are as precious, and hearts are as true.

I have tasted of sorrow, and so has each child;
I have learned, as the child will, that day follows night;
That love guides the rod, though it fall on the heart,
And all that God wills in his wisdom, is right.

But I have not grown old! for the mildew of time
Has failed on my spirit a foothold to gain;
Faith still is triumphant o'er doubt and dismay,
And peace has grown out from life's bitterest pain.

When I change, at God's summons, my place of abode,
Still fast to the loves of this plane I shall hold;
And bathing at will in the fountain of youth,
Through eternity's cycles I shall not grow old.

South Weymouth, Jan. 19, 1892.

He Lacked Faith.

A Second avenue man's young wife was appealed to by a lady mission worker for a contribution, but she was economizing for the summer campaign and was slow to respond. Her husband was reading his newspaper over in the corner by the window, but he was alive.

"I can't give anything now," she pleaded; "I can't spare it."

"You can if you will," urged the solicitor. "Cast your bread upon the waters and you shall find it after many days, you know."

"What's that?" interrupted the husband, dropping his paper.

"I said," repeated the lady, "that if she should cast her bread upon the water, she would find it after many days."

"Ugh," he grunted, dodging down behind his paper again, "she wouldn't if she didn't hire a diver to look for it."—Detroit Free Press.

Wanamaker's New Office Desk.

A unique feature has been added to his office desk, the addition being the suggestion of Mr. Wanamaker and the outgrowth of his daily experience in the administration of his exacting office. Instead of the usual cloth top a large plate glass covers the surface of the desk, and beneath it is a map of the United States, showing parts of Canada and Mexico.

A writing pad rests upon the glass, and there are the customary fittings, as well as the papers, which are usually found in the workshop of a busy man like Mr. Wanamaker. The map shows the counties in each state, the principal cities and towns, the lines of railways, etc., and when visitors talk to Mr. Wanamaker about the post routes and postoffices he can follow them on the map which is spread out before his eyes as he sits at his desk.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Good Hand.

That is a good hand which is put out to help someone who has fallen by the wayside.

That is a good hand which knows how to make pain easier and headaches vanish.

That is a good hand which knows how to give heartily and freely.

That is a good hand which is put out to help you or me as we walk along in life; when we feel we need some one to protect us.

That is a good hand which never wrote anything of which it was ashamed, and which never put its hand to fraud and dishonesty.

That is a good hand which helps along the sick and the weak, the helpless and the poor.

That is a good hand which does its work well; whatever it may be, wherever it may lie, it doth not grow weary, and it doeth its work so it is worth its wage.—Farm and Friend.

Church Notices.

Under this heading the pastors of *all* the churches are cordially invited to make such announcements of services etc. as they may wish. We only stipulate that such notices to be inserted shall reach us at the least, on Thursday of each week—the day before publication.

TRINITY CHURCH (Weymouth), Rev. William Hyde, rector. Service with sermon next Sunday at 10.30 a. m., subject, "The Providence of God;" Sunday-school after the morning service.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (East Weymouth).—Rev. Daniel Evans, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school 11.45 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m.; evening service 7 p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (East Weymouth), Rev. A. A. Kidder, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school 12 m.; Epworth League 6 p. m.; evening service at 7.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (South Weymouth) Rev. L. W. Atwood, pastor. Morning service 10.30; Sunday-school at close of morning service; Y. P. C. U. at 6.30. All are welcome.

OLD NORTH CHURCH (Weymouth Heights) Rev. Robert R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Strangers, new comers, all who have no church home are cordially invited to meet with us. Seats for all.

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART (Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Mass at 9 a. m. Sunday-school 2.30 p. m.

CHURCH OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER (South Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor; Mass at 10.30 a. m.

TEMPERANCE HALL (East Weymouth).—Gospel Temperance meeting at 5.30 p. m.

CHURCH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (East Weymouth)—Rev. D. S. Healey pastor. Mass at 10.30 a.m. Sunday-school at 2.30 p. m.; Vespers at 3.30 p. m.

UNITARIAN CHURCH (East Weymouth.) Rev. W. S. Key, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 p. m., subject, "Where is thy God." A cordial invitation extended to all.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH (Weymouth). Rev. Wesley L. Smith, pastor.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 5.45 p. m. All are cordially invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (North Weymouth) Preaching by the pastor at 2.30 p. m., subject "Life;" Sunday-school at 1.15 p. m.; Y. P. C. U. at 7 p.m.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (Weymouth).—Rev. B. F. Eaton, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. by Rev. H. O. Masham of Tufts College; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 p. m.

UNION CHURCH (Weymouth and Braintree). The pastor, Rev. Oliver Huckel, will preach at the morning service at 10.30; evening at 7.30; Christian Endeavor meeting at 6.30. Special music in the evening, with cornet.

SECOND CHURCH (South Weymouth) Rev. Henry C. Alvord, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m., followed by Sunday-school. Evening union service at 6.15 p.m. Address by Rev. C. L. Hall of the Dakota Indian mission. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7.30 p. m.

OLD NORTH CHURCH (Weymouth Heights) Rev. Robert R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 p. m.; evening service at 7.15 p. m. Strangers, new comers, all who have no church home are cordially invited to meet with us. Seats for all. Rev. W. D. Leland will preach Sunday morning.

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BOSTON THEATRES.

Tremont Theatre.

Our own home organizations of which every music lover in Boston is so justly proud, "The Bostonians," will be at the Tremont theatre for a short season, beginning Monday, Jan. 25th. They will first present De Koven's wonderfully successful opera, "Robin Hood." This will be the first adequate offering of this gracious and beautiful work which Boston has seen and heard, with handsome and proper scenic effects and surroundings; with enlarged chorus and a large corps of supernumeraries. The welcome which "The Bostonians" have always received here at home is bound to be exceeded if possible, this season, for they have been long absent and meanwhile have carried the fame of Boston for excellence in music over this entire continent. In New York they made nothing short of a supreme success. There is not one of the principals of this unequalled musical organization, who will not find at least a thousand personal friends in this city. This socially. Musically, the entire little world, comprehended by Boston and New England has been so long thoroughly wrapt up in the success of each individual member of this corps, that it has become a personal thing to congratulate oneself when "The Bostonians" made a great hit outside of Boston and simply to accept the success at home as a matter of course. "The Bostonians" are now as much a part of Boston's musical high position, as the gilded dome of the State House or the original old State House, are a part of this city's famous sky-and-landmarks. "The Bostonians" are at home for a fortnight and comfortable and satisfying receptions will be held six nights and one afternoon of each of the two weeks of their stay, and everybody is invited to one or more of these "at homes."

The Cadets will produce Mr. Barnet's "4492" at this theatre the week of February 8. These three lines are sufficient, when one ponders upon the wonderful work, dramatico-militarily, the Cadets have done and Mr. Barnet's previous successes. Mr. Pflueger contributes beautiful music for the new production.

Boston Theatre.

"Shiloh," the new military play just brought out at the Boston Theatre, has elements of popularity which are unique and powerful. It is all action. It is not a play to be judged by its lines, but by its movement and its grand total impressions. It is the most stirring series of living pictures of the war for the Union ever presented on the stage. The eye, not the ear, is the proper critic of this wonderful dramatic achievement. "Shiloh" is realism of the highest type. It is the realism of thrilling historical events recalled and clothed once more in living flesh and blood.

The first great scene of the regiment leaving for the front, with Faneuil hall for its centre, is one of intense power. It is received every night as it deserves to be with unbounded enthusiasm. No New England audience could look upon it and fail to feel its pulses beating faster. It awakens the proudest memories of this city, state and section, and makes the blood of every patriotic American tingle clear to the ends of his fingers.

The great camp and battle scenes in the South are equally elaborate and faithful as portraits of our great civil conflict, and life on a Georgia plantation in the old days has never been more effectively delineated. As a stage embodiment of the terrific war drama which absorbed the energies of the American people for four fateful years "Shiloh" is a magnificent creation.

Considered as an exhibition of the resources of our largest theatre and the enterprise of its spirited management, it is a production of which Boston may well be proud. Everybody should see it, especially the younger generation, to whom it is at once a beautiful and powerful object lesson in patriotism.

Full of robust, manly virtue, the spirit of true heroism dominates it all through, and the grand scale on which all its scenes are presented makes it a peerless play in the class to which it belongs.

Grand Opera House.

The change from comedy and melodrama to that of tragedy at the Grand Opera House, Boston, this week has met with even greater success than was anticipated. On Monday evening the MacLean-Prescott combination opened their engagement with the presentation of Cleopatra, Miss Prescott essaying the title role. It was a great performance and the audience went enthusiastic over it. Every member of the company is an artist in the character he portrays. As Cleopatra, Miss Prescott has excellent opportunities to reveal her talents as an actress of ability, and she never lets an occasion pass unimproved.

Spartacus was presented for the first time on Tuesday afternoon and made equally as good a hit as Cleopatra. Mr. R. D. MacLean is a capable actor and suited to play the part of the Thracian slave. He is built for a part that calls for strength and robust acting. His voice is admirably qualified for the heavy parts of the tragedy, and as there are many of these, the audience has ample opportunities to see Mr. MacLean at his best.

Next week's attraction at the Grand will be Bartley Campbell's well-known and excellent drama, The White Slave. The company to present this drama is one of the strongest in the theatrical line in the country. Few more exciting plays have grown out of the old plantation days in the South, than The White Slave. The play will be staged with entirely new scenery. In a recent fire in a western city the company lost all its effects. This occasioned a new equipment throughout and the play will be presented at the Grand as fresh and new as when the author first introduced it to the public.

Following next week's attraction at the Grand Opera House in Boston, will come the well-known stars, Mr. Robert Downing and Miss Eugenia Blair. They will play from their replete repertoire their best plays and every indication points to a successful engagement.

The New Bowdoin Square.

The new Bowdoin Square Theatre grows like magic under the hands of the small army of workmen employed by the contractors. On Monday the immense scaffolding which occupied the body of the house from floor to dome was removed and many were the expressions of admiration from the privileged few who were present at the simple yet elegant tone of the prevailing decoration of the dome and proscenium arch. The stucco work was finished on the boxes yesterday and the decorators will begin work on them tomorrow. The flooring for seats in the orchestra and first balcony is complete and the chairs are already on hand and can be set up at short notice. The stage is practically finished even to the flooring. Borders, drops, etc., are already hung in place and the scenic artists are at work on the paint frame laying on the handsome drop curtain. The electric and gas tables will be the most complete and elaborate in New England. The immense lobby extending from Court street will probably be thrown open for inspection early next week, and Managers Harris and Atkinson intend to have the box office sale of seats conducted in the new house. A feature in the construction of the house is its absolute fire proof qualities. All plaster and stucco work being either upon solid brick walls or with a wire backing. The house will positively open Feb. 15, and the opening attraction will be announced in the course of a few days.

Columbia Theatre.

Charles Frohman's Boston stock company continues to play to the capacity of the house at the pretty Columbia. "The Lost Paradise" is a strong play, powerfully presented, and its popularity with all classes of theatre-goers is not in any degree affected by discussions as to its authorship. It is rarely that any of our leading theatres presents a production that appeals so thoroughly to the upper part of the house, and excites such unbounded enthusiasm. It appears to be equally agreeable to the more aristocratic patrons in the lower part of the theatre, and it is evidenced from the long line of carriages that extends from the far down to the adjacent streets every night. From the beginning, the audiences have been distinctively fashionable in the lower part of the house, and there is scarcely a performance that is not attended by one or more large theatre parties. That the play will run for several months is a foregone conclusion.

Hollis Street Theatre.

"Hoss and Hoss," with Charlie Reed and Willie Collier, Louise Allen the "Kangaroo" dancer, Helena Collier, May Yohe, Daisy Ramsden, J. B. Gentry, Dan Baker, Arthur E. Moulton and others, have been playing to the capacity of the house. The play is a good one, as such pieces go, with not enough plot to mention. The plot is lost in the bubbling humor of Reed and Collier, and in the dreams of dancing skirts. Charles Reed is Lawyer Charlie Hoss and William Collier is Judge Willie Hoss, who are thrown together with no apology but to create laughter through three acts, and that they did very successfully. Reed and Collier jointly are responsible, doubtless, for many of the clever witticisms that pop out naturally through the play, and one of the cleverest turns is made by Judge Hoss, who tells Miss Allen that she may practice her kangaroo dance, for "this is a farce comedy and you can do anything.

OVER AND OVER.

"Just the same thing over and over!"
But that is the way of the world, my dear;
Over and over, over and over,
Old things repeated from year to year.

Hear what the sun saith: "Patient still,
The vaulted heavens I climb and climb,
Over and over with tireless will,
Day after day till the end of time!

"Never a pause and never a rest;
Yet every morning the earth is new,
And even the clouds in the golden west
Have a fresh glory shining through."

Hear what the grass saith: "Up the hills
And through the orchard I creep and creep,
Over the meadows, and where the rills
Laugh in the shadows cool and deep.

"Every spring it is just the same!
And because it is, I am sure to see
The oriole's flash of vivid flame
In the pink-white bloom of the apple-tree."
Hear what dear Love saith: "Ah, I hear
The same old story over and over;
Mother and maiden year by year
Whisper it still to child and lover!

"But sweeter it grows from age to age,
The song begotten so long ago,
When first man came to his heritage,
And walked with God in the even glow."
—Julia C. R. Dorr, in Harper's Young People.

Smuggling Over the Alps.

The refusal of the French to renew the commercial treaty with Italy when it was known that she had joined the alliance of the central powers stopped almost all trade between the two nations. which has since been keenly felt in Italy.

The duties which were raised so high on the French frontier, became an insuperable obstacle. Then the smugglers began working, and the traders directly concerned in their interests endeavored by all ways and means to deceive the French customs officers.

Soon it was noticed that the number of eggs entering from Switzerland had increased to a wonderful quantity There was no doubt that this considerable surplus was the same which came previously through the Alps and was now taking a roundabout route through Switzerland, with which country the French keep small duties.

This was an artifice to be frustrated, but to let in the Swiss eggs and keep out the Italian ones, their real place of export must be discovered, which was not an easy matter, as both bore the Swiss mark. Finally it was observed that the eggs of Italian origin were somewhat larger than those of Swiss origin. The problem was therefore solved. A ring was made of the strict size of a Swiss egg.

Then all the boxes were opened and an egg taken from each of them and tried. When an egg was too large to pass through the ring the box was sent back with this inscription thereon:

"The Italian shipper of these Italian eggs must tell his Italian hens to make smaller Italian eggs, as these are too large to pass through the custom house door."—Paris Cor. Cleveland Leader

Officers Installed.

The following officers of James L. Bates, Camp 36, S. of V., were installed last Friday night, by Past Commander, W. C. Earle, C., C. T. Bailey; S. V. C., G. R. Burrell; J. V. C., F. A. Richards; C. C., W. C. Earle, M. P. Garey, J. F. Otis. Commander Bailey then installed the following staff: C., I. B. Hawes; F. S., H. W. Loud; Q. M. S., L. W. Bates; S. G., C. F. Spear; C. O. G., J. F. Sullivan; C. S., Wilton Hawes; P. M., J. E. Ewell; C. G., Edward Gerald; P. G., Charles Dunbar.

The Town in a Law-Suit.

For the estate of Mrs. Harriet N. Clapp, Mr. David J. Pierce, administrator, has begun suit against the town, in an action of tort, to receive $4,000 for the injury Mrs. Clapp received by falling upon the ice, which accident it is thought hastened her death. The writ served is returnable at Dedham the first Monday in March.

Full of Good Things.

The Boston Beacon, edited and published by Cyrus A. Page, comes each Saturday overflowing with good things. Especially so are its editorial columns, which are very bright, and filled with sharp and telling facts. Its dramatic and literary criticisms are really critical and not a mere rehash of popular opinions, while its fashion notes, and children's department are unrivalled. It is now publishing Mrs. Dawe's Lady Help, a very interesting serial. Published every Saturday morning at 295 Washington street.

Tramps on the Move.

There has been an unusually large number of tramps in this town of late. Selectman H. A. Nash gave out 15 tickets for lodgings at the almshouse one night this week and Selectman Geo. H. Bicknell had 6 applications the same evening. The men say that they are on the way to Plymouth to get work on the new railroad. They claim that it is impossible to get work in or around Boston on account of the Italians filling nearly all the positions.

The Grocers will seek Pleasure.

The New England Grocers will make excursions to Bermuda on January 27 and February 10. The expense of the trip will be $40 and this will pay for the fares both ways and board while there. The excursions will take ten days each. We learn that some of our local grocers are anticipating the pleasures of one of these excursions.

Superintendent Joseph Cummings of the almshouse has tendered his resignation to take effect April 1st. The selectmen have already received a number of applications for the position. It will be difficult to find a man to fill the place as acceptably as Mr. Cummings has.

There is talk of electing Judge James H. Flint to the chairmanship of the Republican town committee, which, by the way, should be organized soon and begin work, in the opinion of many of the party's adherents.

The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into nervous prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the liver and kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c. at A. M. Bachelder & Co., Weymouth, E. G. Cutter, East Weymouth.

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Louis A. Cook, South Weymouth and Abington

Architects.

George Arthur Sherman, Quincy

Banks.

East Weymouth Savings Bank
South Weymouth Savings Bank
Weymouth Savings Bank

Bakeries.

Weymouth Bakery, N. T. Tirrell, Weymouth

Boots and Shoes.

Henry O'Conner, East Weymouth
F. A. Sulis & Co., Weymouth

Building Movers.

F. T. Blanchard, South Weymouth

Coal, Hay and Grain.

T. H. Emerson, East Weymouth
Alvin Hollis, South Weymouth
A. J. Richards & Sons, Weymouth
J. F. Sheppard & Sons, East Braintree
John H. Thompson, East Weymouth

Carpenter and Builder.

Joshua Vinal, Weymouth Centre

Druggists.

A. M. Bachelder & Co., Weymouth
C. D. Harlow & Co., "

Dressmakers.

Mrs. T. Lewis, East Weymouth
Miss M. J. Moran, South Weymouth

Dentists.

Boston Dental Institute, 122 Boylston St., Boston
Dr. W. H. Duddy, 122 Boylston St., Boston
Dr. F. F. Darling, East Weymouth
Dr. Chas. R. Greeley, East Weymouth
Dr. W. L. Roberts, Weymouth
Dr. W. R. Sawyer, 169 Tremont St., Boston

Dry and Fancy Goods.

E. G. Bates, East Weymouth
Chas. Harrington, East Weymouth
Hobart & Co., Weymouth
C. A. Rice & Co., Weymouth
F. A. Sulis & Co., Weymouth

Expresses.

E. Bourk, Weymouth and Boston
Dwyer's, " "

Furniture.

Bryant & Co., Weymouth
A. Culley & Co., North Weymouth
Ford & Philips, East Weymouth
F. A. Sulis & Co., Weymouth

Furniture Repairing.

Arthur E. Richards, Weymouth

Florists.

A. A. Spear, East Weymouth

Grocery and Provision Dealers.

Bryant & Co., Weymouth
J. W. Bartlett & Co., North Weymouth
E. W. Hunt, Weymouth
Humphrey Bros., East Weymouth and Hingham
C. W. Rice, East Weymouth
J. G. Worster & Co., Weymouth
White & Bates, Weymouth

Gent's Furnishing Goods.

A. Denbroeder, East Weymouth
Chas. T. Foster, South Weymouth
People's Clothing Store, Weymouth
Weymouth Clothing Co., East Weymouth

Hardware.

Baker's Hardware Co., Weymouth

Hotels.

Hotel Derby, East Weymouth

Insurance Agents.

Jacob Denbroeder, South Weymouth
A. S. Jordan & Co., Weymouth
George C. Torrey, South Weymouth

Jewelers.

Stephen C. Burgoyne, Weymouth Centre
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Musical Instruments.

J. C. Haynes & Co., Boston
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Albert Wilder, East Weymouth

Millinery.

Misses Castner, East Weymouth
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Music Instructors.

Miss S. M. Blanchard, Weymouth
Mr. John H. Gutterson, Weymouth
Miss Frederika T. Hunt, Weymouth
Miss M. Nellie Hart, Weymouth
Mr. James T. Hunt, Violin, Weymouth
Mr. Chester F. Tirrell, Violin, Weymouth Centre
Mrs. Jennie B. Worster, Vocal, Weymouth

Physicians.

G. W. Tinkham, M.D., Weymouth
Dr. Lucy W. Tuck, Park Sq., Boston

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M. K. Crehan, East Weymouth

Real Estate Agents.

John W. Bates, East Weymouth
A. E. Vining, South Weymouth

Stoves, Heaters, etc.

A. K. Bates, Weymouth

Undertakers.

Francis L. King, Weymouth
William T. Rice, East Weymouth

Veterinary Surgeon.

Dr. C. H. Davis, Weymouth

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Dorick's Salve.—Dorick White, Weymouth
Rising Sun Stove Polish Co., Canton, Mass
Scissors Sharpened.—L. O. Cocker, E. Braintree
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Vapor Baths.—Wm. R. French, North Weymouth

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A chance is offered to secure an old stand and a good stock of dry goods in South Weymouth. See the advertisement of Timothy Smith in this paper.

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Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c and $1 bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

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HOW

How to Remove Mildew from Cloths.

Mix soft soap with powdered starch, add half as much salt and the juice of a lemon; lay it on the part with a brush, then lay the article on the grass day and night till the stain comes out.

How to Make an Introduction.

Introductions, except on rare occasions and when there are good reasons, should not be made on the streets. The only warrants for such breaches of etiquette are when some business is to be accomplished then and there, or that the introducer is so intimate with both of the strangers that he feels privileged to take a liberty with each. In introducing a gentleman to a lady, say, "Miss Brown, permit me to introduce (or present is the better form) Mr. Smith," and he should bow to each as his or her name is pronounced, and the names should be pronounced with entire distinctness, as nothing is more embarrassing than not to catch the correct name of a new acquaintance. The lady meeting a gentleman by such an introduction may smile and say nothing, or she may say, "I am happy to meet you, Mr. Smith," or anything else which is pleasant and complimentary. But Mr. Smith would be forward to begin a conversation until the lady had in some way taken the initiative. When men are introduced to one another the elder or more distinguished should have the other presented to him.

How to Avoid Morbid Self Consciousness.

Keep the fact firmly fixed in your mind that every man is thinking more about himself than about you. So long as you do not dress, or walk, or talk in an utterly ridiculous way people will bother themselves very little about your appearance.

How to Tell the Time by the Sun.

Any method of telling the time by the sun without the use of instruments and mathematical calculations is necessarily crude, but farmers and woodsmen become quite expert in it. A man knows, for instance, that on the 21st of March and the 21st of September we have days of twelve hours in length. From the 21st of March to the 22d of June the days lengthen, and on that day the sun rises at about 4:30 and sets at about 7:30 Then from the 21st of September till the 22d of December the days shorten until they are only about nine hours long, the sun rising at about 7:30 and setting at about 4:30. Bearing these facts in mind and remembering that the sun is always directly overhead at 12 o'clock noon, one can come pretty close, by observing the approach to the meridian and the departure therefrom, to telling what time it is by the sun. The convenient almanac will help any one trying to do this, but in this day of cheap watches people do not generally spend much time in acquiring a not very useful skill.

How to Give Castor Oil to Children.

As in various diseases of children there is no medicine so beneficial as castor oil, it is well to know how to give it without aggravating the malady by forcing the child to take the disagreeable dose. A tablespoonful of castor oil can be given in a glass of sarsaparilla or ginger ale without the child's knowledge. The soda or ginger ale or root beer should be freshly drawn, and poured in such a way as to diffuse the oil all through it, and it will be drank with pleasure. The carbonic acid gas completely disguises the taste of the oil, and it is not visible in the foam.

How to Polish Shirt Bosoms.

Take half an ounce each of white wax, isinglass and gum arabic and half a teaspoonful of alcohol; put them in a gill of boiling water, shake well and bottle. To each quart of starch add a teaspoonful of the mixture.

How to Put Two Things at Once in One Place.

A simple trick, easily performed, will puzzle any one who has not seen it. Take a common tumbler and pour water carefully into it until it will not hold another drop without overflowing. Ask the witnesses if anything more can be put into the glass without removing or spilling the water, and the chances are that all will say no. You can, however, add (if you do it carefully) a very considerable quantity of salt, and when no more salt will go in you can add sugar without increasing the bulk of the water or spilling any. You may do something still more surprising. Instead of salt and sugar, you can put a great many pins or needles into the water without making it overflow. Philosophers declare that the particles of water rearrange themselves around the pins.

How the Term "Pin Money" Originated.

This means a lady's allowance of money for her own personal expenditure. Long after the invention of pins, in the Fourteenth century, they were very costly, and the maker was allowed to sell them in open shop only on the 1st and 2d of January. It was then that the ladies of the court and city dames flocked to the stores to buy them, having been first provided with the requisite money by their husbands. When pins became common and cheap the ladies spent their allowance on other fancies, but the term pin money remained in vogue.

How to Sharpen Edge Tools.

Add to water one-twentieth of its weight in sulphuric or muriatic acid. Place the tool in it and leave it for half an hour, after which take it out and wipe it dry. Three or four hours afterward finish the edge on a hone. The dilute acid eats the steel away and does the work of a grindstone, making the honing all that is necessary to put the edge on the tool. This process will actually improve blades that have been badly hardened, although the reason for the improvement is not known.

How to Defeat and Eradicate a Tendency to Insanity.

Never think long about yourself or your wrongs and sorrows. Make it a point to help some other person every day.

How to Outfit for Mountain Climbing.

A mountain trip may be made a season of unmixed delight or almost unbearable misery, according to the manner in which one is dressed. In the first place no corset should be worn. A beauty waist, snug yet comfortable, suspends its weight from the shoulders. The stocking suspenders button to this, as do also the woolen knickerbockers or divided skirt. The shoes should be wide of sole and low heeled. Gaiters of cloth protect the ankles and meet the divided skirt. The dress should be short, of storm serge, gray, brown or blue. A Norfolk waist, with a stout leather belt from which hangs a little bag containing smelling salts, a bottle of perfume and some vaseline and camphor ice. Two large pockets can contain small comb; brush, toothbrush and handglass as well as hairpins, penknife, pencil, pad, some string, several clean handkerchiefs and a couple of pairs of stockings. The hat should be soft, but should shade the eyes. A field glass and gossamer waterproof may be slung in a snug bundle over the shoulder. Castor gloves, one extra pair in a pocket. These with a drinking cup and a little spirits in a small bottle if desired will with an alpenstock carry a fair maiden through several days of climbing in perfect comfort and independence of civilization. Needle, thread and small scissors can also be easily carried.

NO OTHER Sarsaparilla can produce from actual cures such wonderful statements of relief to human suffering as **HOOD'S** Sarsaparilla

Marriages and Deaths.

DEATHS.

In South Weymouth, Jan. 12, Sally B., wife of Oran White, aged 75 yrs. 3 mos. 27 days.

In South Weymouth, Jan. 14, Edward T., child of Ezra T. and Ellen L. Joy, aged 5 yrs. 4 mos. 4 days.

In South Weymouth, Jan. 15, Abigail B., widow of Josiah Copeland, aged 79 yrs. 23 days.

In Weymouth, Jan. 16, Florence, child of Thomas and Mary Martin, aged 4 mos. 15 days.

In South Weymouth, Jan. 18, Mahitable J., widow of Richard Rogers, aged 82 yrs. 3 mos. 24 days.

In East Weymouth, Jan. 17, John O'Brine, aged 52 yrs.

What is the W. C. T. U. Doing?

It is arranging for a temperance meeting which will include thirty or forty bright-eyed little girls and boys, who will sing several pieces. Addresses will be made by the pastors of the place, especially to the children. Full particulars next week.

Dean's Rheumatic Pills absolutely cure Rheumatism and Neuralgia. Entirely vegetable. Safe. 33 1yr e o w

STARTLING FACTS.

The American people are rapidly becoming a race of nervous wrecks, and the following suggests the best remedy: Alphonso Hempfling, of Butler, Pa., swears that when his son was speechless from St. Vitus dance, Dr. Miles' great Restorative Nervine cured him. Mrs. J. R. Miller, of Valparaiso, and J. D. Taylor, of Logansport, Ind., each gained 20 pounds from taking it. Mrs. H. A. Gardner, of Vistula, Ind., was cured of 40 to 50 convulsions a day, and much headache, dizziness, backache, and nervous prostration, by one bottle. Daniel Myers, Brooklyn, Mich., says his daughter was cured of insanity of ten years' standing. Trial bottles, and fine book of marvelous cures, free at druggists. This remedy contains no opiates. Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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TO LET. House on Phillips street, containing 6 rooms with small stable at $8 per month. Inquire of W. K. Baker. 38 tf

WANTED. The lady who lost a sum of money a few weeks since in the Baptist church, if she will call on the pastor, W. L. Smith, and prove property, she may have the money. 41 1w

WANTED. A girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. J. F. Sheppard, Quincy avenue, East Braintree. 41

WANTED. People to know that it costs only 25 cents to make known their wants in this column.

WANTED. Bicycles and machines to repair, scissors and skates to sharpen. Leave orders at Hudson's harness shop. W. T. Sylvester. 36 tf

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT.

South Weymouth Post Office.

Mails Arrive.—6.36 A. M. from Boston; 9.07 A. M. from Boston (R. P. O.); 11.45 A. M. from Boston; 3.06 P. M. from Boston, 4.39 P. M. from Plymouth (R. P. O.); 6.03 P. M. from Boston.

Mails Depart.—7.33 A. M. for Boston; 9.07 A. M. for Plymouth; 10.30 A. M. for Boston; 12.44 P. M. for Boston; 4.30 P. M. for Boston (R. P. O.); 6.19 P. M. for Boston.

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When calling for letters, call for **advertised.** If not called for in ten days, these letters will be forwarded to the Dead Letter Office, Washington, D. C.

A. E. VINING, Postmaster.

January 21, 1892.

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A CARD.

We wish to tender our heartfelt thanks to all those friends who by their kindly acts, ministered to our little daughter Lena, during her long illness. We can assure them that such kindnesses is appreciated and cannot be forgotten, and when their hour of trial comes, may their sorrow be lightened by kind words and deeds of loving friends, among whom may be found,

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ADMINISTRATOR NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of MARINDA HUNT, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

DAVID HUNT, Administrator,

January 6, 1892. 41 43

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

TO the Heirs-at-Law, Next-of-Kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

NANCY B. HOLBROOK,

late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased,

Greeting:

Whereas, a certain instrument, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by A. Augusta Rice of Weymouth, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond, pursuant to said will and statute.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the second Wednesday of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this Citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Weymouth Gazette, published at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

41 43 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

TO the Next-of-Kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

ABBIE L. POOL,

of Weymouth, in said county, minor. Greeting:

Whereas, Clarissa E. Loud, the guardian of said minor, has presented her petition for license to sell at private sale, certain real estate therein specified, of her said ward for investment.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Quincy, in said county, on the second Wednesday of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this Citation by publishing the same once a week for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

41 43 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

TO the Heirs-at-Law, and all other persons interested in the Estate of

RHODA W. GAY,

late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased,

Greeting:

Whereas, Edward P. Paine, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court his petition for license to sell so much of the real estate of said deceased as will raise the sum of seven hundred, thirty-nine dollars and ten cents, for the payment of debts and charges of administration.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the second Wednesday of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this Citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Weymouth Gazette, published at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

41 43 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT

TO the Heirs-at-Law, Next-of-Kin, and all other persons interested in the Estate of

BRIDGET A. COLEMAN,

late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased.

Greeting:

Whereas, a certain instrument, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William J. Coleman and James H. Coleman, both of Weymouth, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bonds, pursuant to said will and statute.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the second Wednesday of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this Citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Weymouth Gazette, printed at said Weymouth, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

41 43 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

OLD COLONY.

JANUARY 4, 1892.

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WEEK-DAY TRAINS

LEAVE BOSTON (Kneeland St. Station) FOR

East Braintree. 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A.M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P.M. **Return.** 5.54, 7.16, 7.59, 10.29 A.M.; 1.06, 3.46, 4.46, 5.54, 7.55, 10 09 P.M.

Weymouth. 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A.M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P.M. **Return.** 5.50, 7.12, 7.55, 8.48, 10.26 A.M.; 1.03, 3.43, 4.43, 5.51, 6.01, 7.52, 10.06 P.M.

No. Weymouth. 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A.M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P.M. **Return.** 5.45, 7.07, 7.50, 8.44, 10.21 A.M.; 12.58, 3.39, 4.39, 5.46, 7.48, 10.02 P.M.

East Weymouth. 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A.M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.10, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P.M. **Return.** 5.40, 7.02, 7.45, 8.02, 8.40, 10.16 A.M.; 12.54, 3.34, 4.35, 5.40, 5.54, 7.44, 9.58 P.M.

So. Weymouth. 5.45, 8.30, 11.02 A.M.; 2.30, 3.40, 5.30, 6.25, 11.15 P.M. **Return.** 5.46, 6.36, 7.33, 8.28, 10.30 A.M.; 12.44, 4.31, 6.19 P.M.

So.} WEYMOUTH SPECIAL to the Abingtons and Whitman, 6.00 A.M.; 6.38 P.M. RETURN from Whitman, 11.29 P.M.

No. Braintree. 5.45, 6.45, 8.15, 8.17, 8.30, 9.40, 10.05, 11.02, 11.40 A.M.; 12 M.; 12.02, 1.15, 1.55, 2.15, 2.30, 3.12, 3.30, 3.40, 4.18, 4.22, 4.35, 4.42, 5.15, 5.30, 5.33, 6.07, 6.25, 7.10, 7.55, 8.1 , 9.10, 10.00, 11.10, 11.15 P.M. **Return.** 5.56, 6.44, 7.24, 7.27, 7.42, 8.26, 8.31, 8.36, 9.05, 9.48, 10.40, 10.45, 11.55 A.M.; 12.27, 12.45, 12.52, 1.29, 2.38, 3.48, 3.55, 4.39, 5.17, 5.22, 5.28, 6.34, 6.56, 7.00, 7.34, 7.55, 8.55, 9.57, 10.14 P.M.

Braintree. 5.45, 6.45, 7.35, 8.15, 8.17, 9.40, 10.05, 11.02, 11.20 A.M.; 12.02, 1.15, 1.55, 2.35, 3.12, 3.50, 3.52, 4.18, 4.22, 4.34, 4.42, 5 10, 5.15, 5.33, 6.00, 6.07, 6.25, 7.10, 7.55, 8.15, 9.10, 10.00, 11.00, 11.10, 11.15 P.M. **Return** 6.02, 6.48, 7.20, 7.28, 7.31, 7.46, 7.48, 8.05, 8.14, 8.35, 9.09, 9.53, 10.33, 10.51, 11.59 A.M.; 12.56, 1.11, 1.34, 2.43, 3.54, 4.00, 4.43, 4.52, 5.27, 5.32, 6.08, 6.59, 7.04, 8.04, 9.00, 10.01, 10.14, 10.18 P.M.

SUNDAY TRAINS

LEAVE BOSTON FOR

East Braintree. WEYMOUTH, NORTH WEYMOUTH and EAST WEYMOUTH, 9.15 A. M.; 12.45, 5.45 P. M. **Return,** leave EAST WEYMOUTH 8.51 A.M.; 5.32, 5.45 P. M. NORTH WEYMOUTH 8.56 A. M.; 5.50 P. M. WEYMOUTH, 9.01 A. M.; 5.39, 5.55 P. M. EAST BRAINTREE, 9.04 A. M.; 5.58 P. M.

No. Weymouth, 5.45 P. M. **Return,** 8.51 A. M.

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East Weymouth Briefs.

—The Ladies' Cemetery association has completed arrangements for its annual fair which will begin on the afternoon of Feb. 9 in Reynolds hall and continue until the evening of the 12th. The entertainment for the first night will be by the Tableau d'Art Company of the N. E. Conservatory, under the management of Prof. Kelley. For the second night Mrs. Frank Drew has the same company rehearsing the operetta Bo-Peep which gave it with such success a short time ago. For the third night the William Warren Dramatic club will appear in the drama, After Taps. For the fourth night a musicale is being arranged by C. Will Bailey, in addition to which Miss O'Connor the famous whistling soloist has been engaged and the Doll's Chorus will be given under the management of Mrs. George Baker. Season tickets will be 50 cents, single admission 15 cents. Owing however, to the large expense of the first night a limited number of seats will be reserved for which 15 cents extra will be charged. Tickets may be obtained on and after Monday, Jan. 25, at the drug store of C. D. Harlow, Weymouth; B. F. Thomas, North Weymouth; E. G. Bates and Chas. Harrington, East Weymouth.

—History repeats itself, at longer or shorter intervals. In the case of the Laster's Union, each year brings a good entertainment and such is the attraction this year that tickets are selling quite rapidly for the concert and ball on the night of February 5th.

—After his long and severe illness the friends of John Powers are pleased to see him out again.

—A Mr. Hayden of Quincy was severely bitten by a dog belonging to A. E. Tirrell, on Tuesday.

—Mrs. Dr. Lyon of Brockton has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Alpheus Bates.

—Mrs. Otis H. Randall of Brockton was the guest of Mrs. H. A. Tirrell, last Sunday.

—Mrs. J. E. Rice is ill at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Lovell.

—Mr. W. Frank Tucker who is in the Normal school at Bridgewater is reported as on the sick list.

—It is in the air that Reynolds Hall will soon change ownership and will no longer be used as a public building but will be utilized for mercantile purposes.

—The "Whatsoever" Circle of King's Daughters held their annual meeting Monday evening and elected Mrs. Leavit Bates, pres.; Mrs. Charles Harrington, vice-pres.; Mrs. J. A. Cushing, sec. and treas. The same night the "Watchful" Circle elected Mrs. John Nelson, pres.; Mrs. James M. Dunbar, vice-pres.; Mrs. Leonard Cain, sec.; Mrs. Daniel Lincoln, treas.

—The closing night of the Unitarian Fair saw a remarkably good audience, considering the weather. There was the double attraction of a fine entertainment and the awarding of a prize of a gold watch by the manufacturers of the Welcome Soap for the best guess on the length of a design suspended in the hall and a second and third prize offered by the society for the same thing. On comparing the several guesses it was found that Mrs. A. L. Flint had the exact distance which was 5 feet 9 13-16 inches and she got the watch. The next nearest guess was 5 feet 9 3-4 inches, and by a singular coincidence eleven had guessed the same. Lots were drawn for a final decision and the beautiful picture which was the second prize fell to Miss Mamie Hayes. The next nearest guess was 5 feet 9 5-8 inches and four had guessed the same; the prize was awarded to Mr. Key, he being one of the four. F. W. Cowing, Geo. White, F. H. Cowing, Wm. Merchant and A. L. Flint acted as committee to award the prizes.

—Mrs. Joshua Cowing is very ill at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. E. A. French, having suffered a stroke of paralysis last Monday.

—Owing to the error in the E. W. Times last week which confused my notice and caused many to miss my visit, I shall be at F. B. Reed's jewelry store again, Jan. 29 and 30, and again in three months.

PROF. CUSHMAN, Optician.

—The entertainment of the Junior Templars next Monday night will be the most novel affair of the season. Admission will be by invitation cards which are not transferable, and must be presented at the door.

—One of the most rapidly growing industries of East Weymouth is the Jordan Preserving and Packing Co. They have already contracted for the production of fifty acres of tomatoes for the coming season.

—The funeral of Miss Eliza Paine took place Sunday at her late residence Grant street, Rev. A. A. Kidder of East Weymouth and Rev. Mr. Woodard of Rockland officiating. Singing by Rev. Mr. Woodard, Leonard Cain, George W. Dyer and Mrs. H. B. Raymond. The bearers were Messrs Bearse, Bean, Buker and Bunker.

—The revival services begun in the M. E. church last week have been continued through this week with a good number in attendance each night.

—The business meeting, tea, and entertainment of the Ladies' Social Circle connected with the Congregational church, Wednesday evening, was well attended. At the business meeting, it was voted to carpet, paint and paper the room used as a parlor and for the primary department of the Sunday-school. The entertainment was a mixed one, but highly enjoyed by those present, especially so the tableaux of the "Fates,"

—W. T. Rice has been placed on the executive committee of the Massachusetts Undertaker's Association.

—Benjamin S. Rithington and Rebecca Payne were married in Rockland last Monday by Rev. Mr. Woodard.

—Quincy Bicknell has been quite sick for a few days.

—Mrs. H. B. Raymond attended the reception of the Hingham W. C. T. U., Thursday evening of last week.

—The interest in the assemblies of the Y. M. S. C. continues, and last Saturday night about sixty couples joined in the mazy dance, and enjoyed a first-class time.

—In the "Bo-Peep" entertainment, Mrs. Drew will be assisted, as before, by Miss Susie Raymond and Mr. A. M. Raymond. The East Weymouth Orchestra will be in attendance two or more nights, and a limited number of seats will be reserved each night at fifteen cents extra.

—Joseph Demerritt has the sympathy of friends this week, as he is in Vermont attending the funeral of his sister who has just died.

—Col. B. S. Lovell is away on a business trip to St. Louis and Chicago.

—Don't forget that you can buy the Gazette in Boston, at the O. C. R. R. depot, after 4.15 o'clock Friday afternoons and all day Saturday. tf

—A prominent chicken merchant of Middle street who is particular about his dress was seen going to work one morning dressed in overalls.

—Officer Peare took Michael Daly and James Egan before the court at Quincy on Monday and each got three months at Dedham for vagrancy.

—The Ladies' Cemetery Association will meet with Mrs. J. R. Totman next Thursday.

—Miss Marion Castner is taking a two weeks' vacation which she will spend with friends in Bangor and St. John.

—John A. Raymond is able to resume his duties at the bank and as Town Clerk.

—The Weymouth Clothing Store was closed Wednesday on account of a banquet given by Mr. French to his employees in Weymouth, Quincy and Braintree.

—Master Preston Joy will celebrate his fifth birthday with a party to his little friends Saturday afternoon.

—A. V. Powers is improving but is still confined to the house.

—Archbishop Williams will celebrate Mass in the Church of the Immaculate Conception at 8.30 a. m. on Sunday; at 2.30 p. m. he will administer the rite of confirmation to a number of children.

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—A good chance to get hats at reduced prices is being offered by Mrs. M. T. Croker; beginning to-morrow, there will a great mark down to 50 cents each.

—The look out committee of the "Whatsoever Circle" K. D.'s are Mrs. W. T. Rice, Mrs. Henry Humphrey and Mrs. George Baker.

—Owing to the small number in attendance Wednesday evening at the Engine Hall the formation of a republican club was postponed to a meeting to be called a little later.

—A delegation of Pilgrim Lodge, K. of H., attended the installation of officers of John A. Andrew lodge at Hingham Wednesday night, and at the close of the installation partook of a fine turkey supper.

—Parker Bates is quite seriously ill again.

—Mr. S. C. Dizer has returned much invigorated by his trip abroad.

Braintree.

—Don't forget that you can buy the Gazette in Boston, at the O. C. R. R. depot, after 4.15 o'clock Friday afternoons and all day Saturday. tf

—The Eighteenth Annual Reunion of the Braintree High School Association will be held in the Town Hall, Friday evening, Feb. 5th.

—C. A. Belcher has been to New York on a business trip.

—Dr. H. A. Jones is still unable to be out but it is probable he will be at his place of business next week.

—F. E. Brett, principal of the Grammar school is under the weather. The South Braintree boys are having a little vacation during his illness.

—Mrs. L. P. Goulland is quite sick.

—The Braintree Whist Club was entertained by Miss Bessie Morrison Friday evening. The first prizes were captured by P. A. Fowler of Randolph and Miss Miriam Lane, the second ones by T. P. Harrison and Miss Alice Long.

—We are sorry to state that there has been no marked improvement in Prof. J. B. Sewell's condition since Saturday but hope to say next week that he is recovering more rapidly.

—Richard Long has moved into his new house on Railroad street.

—W. C. Holbrook is able to go to Boston but is still pretty lame from his severe attack of rheumatism.

—Charles E. Beane, a photograper, about 60 years old, was found dead in bed at his studio, 228 Washington street, Roxbury, late Wednesday afternoon. He was discovered by his nephew, J. E. Beane, who came to apprise him of the serious illness of his wife. He had only recently become a resident of Braintree and resided next to the new High School building. Mrs. Beane was very ill at the time and although she was not told of the death of her husband, she sank rapidly until death relieved her of the cares of life, Saturday forenoon. The double funeral was held at their late residence on Washington street, Tuesday morning. The interment was at Stoughton.

—Rev. Frank Kasson, editor and publisher of The Education, preached an interesting and eloquent sermon at First Congregational church, Sunday.

—District Deputy, Frank E. Hall, assisted by E. A. Parsons, George W. Lane and J. Kennedy, past Grands of Somerset Lodge of Boston, installed these officers at Monatiquot Lodge No. 83, Knights of Pythias Tuesday evening: P. C., L. O. Crocker, Jr.; C., L. W. Morrison; V. C., John L. Delano; P., C. W. Fearing; K. of P. S., Thomas I. Hale; M. at A., A. W. Custance; I. S., F. C. Allen; O. G., R. E. Litchfield.

—Fred Woodworth has secured a position in J. M. Arnold's store.

—John V. Dinsmore, a carpenter, employed in the Old Colony Repair Shops, had three fingers on his right hand and one on his left cut off by a circular saw, Wednesday afternoon.

—The annual ball and dedication of the armory of Company K, Fifth Regiment, M. V. M., Braintree, will take place Friday evening, Feb. 19. It is expected that Gov. Russell will take part in the exercises. It is stated from good authority that the Fifth regiment, of which Company K is a part, will go to Chicago to the Worlds Fair in '93, at the state's expense. There are several vacancies in the company that must be filled soon, and men desiring to join are invited to call at the armory Monday evenings.

—A case of scarlet fever has been discovered on Monatiquot Heights.

—Ibrahim Morrison is laid up with inflamatory rheumatism.

North Weymouth Gleanings.

—Rev. Phillip S. Moxom of Boston will give the fifth in the course of lectures in the Universalist church on Wednesday evening Jan. 27. Subject, "The Educated Man."

—The Ladies' Circle of the Pilgrim church will hold their annual fair next week, Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 26 and 27.

—For flavor and quality, Totman's plain bread stands unrivalled.

—Signatures are desired for the following petition: "To the honorable senate and house of representatives in general court, assembled: The undersigned, petitioners as residents of North Weymouth, respectfully represent that the sea-shore, the river-banks, the hill-tops and the other finest portions of the scenery of the district surrounding Boston, to which the people have long been accustomed to resort for healthful pleasure are now being converted to the private purposes of their owners to the great detriment of the present population, and the irreparable loss of succeeding generations; wherefore, your petitioners respectfully request your honorable bodies to institute through a special commission or otherwise, a comprehensive and impartial investigation of the whole subject of providing ample open space for the use and enjoyment of the increasing population of the Boston metropolitan district." The intent of this document is toward the preservation of land which is well situated for pleasure grounds, and also is of a historical interest, such a tract, for example, as Hon. Charles Francis Adams spoke of in a recent letter to the Gazette—the old shipyard, the seat of the old Massachusetts colony and Miles Standish's memorable fight with the Indians. The hill adjoining, Hunt's Hill, is being taken away, and the spot will soon be shorn of its beauty, and the ground around about so changed that it will be impossible to feel any sentiment regarding it. It is to prevent if possible, such works as this that an action of legislation will be asked. The petition can be signed at the North Weymouth post-office. There was also another petition of the same intention for the signatures of town officials, park, commissioners and officers of improvement societies, put out from the same source with this one.

—The Independent Club's dance will be held in the Engine hall to-night.

—Leon R. Johnston has given up his position in Cambridge, and is at his old place of business again.

—Willie Torrey gave a party at his residence last Friday night. Many friends from this and other parts of the town were present.

—S. Ozro Estes who had his leg broken in the Braintree accident awhile ago, has returned home. He has been in the Massachusetts General Hospital for four weeks.

—D. M. Kidder has been confined to the house for two weeks with the grip. His son is taking his place in the engine room of Torrey, Bullivant & Co.'s factory.

—The horses attached to W. F. Cushing's coach, on being left alone in front of the post office last Saturday night, started on a run for home. They struck a tree at the corner of Sea and Pearl streets but cleared it and brought up against Ebenezer Thomas' fence, smashing the top of the coach and breaking the pole. No one was hurt.

—Leonidas Pratt, of Fall River, has been in town this week.

—Mrs. J. A. Holbrook has been spending a few days with her daughter in Chelsea.

—Lemuel Torrey has recovered from his sickness and is about the same. The condition of his wife remains about the same.

—J. L. Newton is able to be out, after four week's confinement in the house.

—Joseph Brown has had a very bad attack of the grip, but is now better.

—The fair to be held by the ladies of the Pilgrim church next Tuesday and Wednesday has some very fine attractions both nights.

South Braintree.

—Preaching by Rev. D. M. Cleveland of the Massachusetts Baptist Convention at Odd Fellows' Hall at 2.30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Page are on a visit to Mrs. Page's sister who lives in the western part of the state.

—John Lincoln has been very sick the past two weeks with pneumonia.

—Mrs. B. F. Dyer has had the grip, it being the first serious illness that she has had for thirty years.

—D. D. G. R., Brewster of Plymouth, visited Monatiquot Council 987, Royal Arcanum, Wednesday evening, and installed the following officers: R., R. H. Woodsum; V. R., H. A. Pierce, O., E. Matheson; P. R., M. A. Colbert; S., H. A. Borden; C., J. B. Bradford; T., M. E. Young; C., A. J. Dyer; G., Thomas H. Roche; W., D. H. B. Thayer; Sen., W. J. Loring. A collation was served and remarks were made by the grand officers after the installation.

—Mrs. Charles Smart has been visiting Mrs. Lyman Chick of Boston.

—A coffee party will be held in the Town Hall this evening. The floor will be in charge of W. H. Cunningham, with the following aids: John Condon, J. W. Mulcahy, James Dennehey, and J. E. Maguinness. Music will be furnished by Courteans's orchestra.

—The Women's Home Missionary Society will meet at the Congregational vestry Thursday afternoon.

—A strike was inaugurated at Rice & Hutchins' shoe shop among the girls employed in the stitching department. The girls who are mostly from Brockton and Campello, on account of the distance they had to come to work, asked for higher wages which not being granted, resulted in their going out. It is probable that the trouble will be settled in the course of a few days.

—The meeting of the Literary Circle which was to be held with Mrs. C. B. Woodsum, has been postponed for a week. The society will celebrate the anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns, the celebrated Scottish poet, Jan. 25.

—Mr. S. Downey has been appointed boss of the finishing department at Rice and Hutchins.

—There will be an observation party at Mr. Royal Belcher's Wednesday evening.

—Amana Lodge, D. of R., entertained the Milton lodge, Thursday evening of last week.

—Thomas Penniman has been sick with the grip but is able to go out now.

—The annual meeting of the Ladies Sewing Circle will be held in the vestry of the Congregational church Wednesday afternoon and evening.

—The King's Daughters held a meeting with Mrs. Eugene Dyer Thursday afternoon.

—A Leap Year party is to be given by the young ladies of the Thayer Academy in the Town Hall, Saturday afternoon.

—Miss Mary Wilkins, the authoress, has been spending a few days with Miss Elizabeth Thompson.

—Miss Hattie Pratt and Mrs. Caleb Thompson attended a lecture at Tremont Temple, Boston, on the method of teaching the primary department in the Sunday-schools.

—The body, partly decomposed, of a man supposed to be Thompson, the murderer of Miss Mehitable White of this town, has been found at Lorne, Picton County, N. S.

—Orin W. Trufant, died Wednesday, aged about twenty-two, of consumption. He was a graduate of the Braintree High school and Bryant and Stratton's Business College. Mr. Trufant held a position as book-keeper in Boston and was a prominent member of the Sons of Veterans.

—Charles Anderson, a former resident of this town, is here on a visit from Uxbridge.

—Azel R. French, of this town, proprietor of the Braintree clothing store and of branch stores in East Weymouth and Quincy, invited all the clerks in his employ to a banquet at Young's Hotel, Boston, after which the entire company visited the Globe Theatre and witnessed "Sinbad" on invitation of Mr. French.

Nash's Corner.

—Last Friday, Mrs. Reuben Loud left home for Derby, Vt., where she will probably remain some time to care for her aged father, who is now quite ill.

—One department in Stetson & Heald's factory has been temporarily closed on account of the prevailing epidemic, but work is now being resumed.

—We are pleased to know that there is in our midst such a talented young pianist as Master Harry Dyer, who has recently displayed considerable ability. Weymouth is the home of many musicians and some time it may be referred to as the home of the second Paderewski.

—S. S. Spear is having electric lights put into his house.

—Last Sunday Miss Dora Gardiner conducted very interesting services at the Chapel which were enjoyed by a very attentive audience. Mr. Swan is expected to preach Sunday, Jan. 24.

Takes 1000 people to buy Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, at 50 cents a bottle, to make up $500. One failure to cure would take the profit from 4000 sales. Its makers profess to cure "cold in the head," and even chronic catarrh, and if they fail they pay $500 for their over-confidence. Not in newspaper words but in hard cash! Think of what confidence it takes to put that in the papers—and mean it. Its makers believe in the remedy. Isn't it worth a trial? Isn't any trial preferable to catarrh?

Weymouth and East Braintree.

—Leland T. Powers to-night.

—Miss Edith Lyon has been ill the past 10 days with a severe cold and sore throat.

—Mr. Flint, father of Judge James H. Flint, is quite ill.

—Henry Gardner is out again after being confined to the house several weeks with the grip.

—Peter Griffin, telegraph operator at the O. C. R. R. station at Harrison Square, has gone to work again after a severe attack of the grip.

—It is rumored that the young ladies are to give a leap year party soon.

—Mr. Baxter Torrey has been seriously ill with pneumonia.

—Mr. W. B. Clapp has been to New York on a business trip this week.

—The following officers of Keystone Lodge No. 5, Order of the Solid Rock, were installed last Thursday evening. C. C., B. P. Knights; V. C., Miss Rogers; P. C., B. J. Loring; Recorder, Albert J. West; Banker, Geo. W. Hayden; Chaplain, Mrs. G. W. Hayden; Guide, Richard Young; Sentry, C. Hollis. A supper followed the installation.

—D. D. Regent, Wm. Brewster and suite of Plymouth installed the following officers of Weymouth Council No. 747, Royal Arcanum last Friday evening: Regent, B. Y. Knights; Vice-Regent, Frank C. Allen; Past Regent, R. H. Loud; Orator, P. B. Lawson; Secretary, Geo. E. Bicknell; Treasurer, Chas. G. Sheppard; Collector, W. C. Gutterson; Chaplain, F. O. Whitmarsh; Guide, T. D. Bagley; Warden, B. W. Pratt; Sentinel, J. Clifford Thayer.

—John P. Arnold was in town Monday visiting friends.

—Miss Sarah Bennett has been suffering with an attack of the grip.

—The Wrapper and Tea Gown sale of Hobart & Co. offers special attractions in prices. A tremendous reduction to close out the lot. It will pay every woman to call.

—A number of young men of this village from 16 to 19 years old and who have the appearance of gentlemen but from their actions have shown themselves not to be such, have been amusing themselves of late by disturbing religious meetings. A few Sundays ago they set off some firecrackers in the yard of one of our churches and last Sunday evening they went to the Union church and annoyed the worshippers by various means, requiring the services of the police. These boys are all well known and are of good families but should they repeat the offense they will probably be introduced to his honor Judge Humphrey of the District Court.

—The new residence of John Griffin was completed this week.

—A basket of meat dropped from Dwyer's express wagon one evening this week and was picked up by an officer at Field's Corner, Boston. It was minus a turkey but Mr. Dwyer thinks the bird was stolen from the team in this town.

—Large quantities of stones still continue to drop from the ledge on Quincy avenue.

—Miss Mary Walsh, one of our most popular school teachers, is ill with the grip.

—Wm. Orr, engineer at the Fore River Engine Works is down with the grip.

—The land on Liberty Heights which was purchased by a syndicate and laid out into house lots is being rapidly disposed of and some fine residences are to be erected there in the spring.

—Miss Sarah W. Glover, A. J. Bates and A. T. Pratt, victims of the grip, are all getting along nicely.

—Mrs. Julia Murphy residing on Keith street fell down stairs one day last week and broke her hip but is now on the road to recovery.

—The appropriation for the highways in this ward has all been expended but $6.

—The citizens of Braintree are agitating the matter of making two separate boards of the Assessors and Selectmen.

—Geo. F. Curtis has accepted a position with Pinkerton's detective agency.

—The Trufant estate, recently purchased by the Union Bank, is being improved. An addition is being made to the store with a large show window. A piece has also been built on the rear and other improvements are being made.

—The members of the Circle of Arbutus Assembly Pythian Sisterhood are requested to meet with Mrs. M. C. Nash, Front street, Weymouth, next Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. All sisters are requested to be present.

—Our citizens are not renewing their membership to the Institute to the extent they should. This institution must not be suffered to die out. In addition to the advantages it has given and is giving it forms a valuable nucleus for progressive work in the future. Under its auspices from time to time will be undertaken all the good things for the people that the managers can devise. There is no other institution in our village where all sects combine and work together for the benefit, physically and mentally, of the people and also to afford clean and wholesome entertainment at cost prices. Let us all take hold and keep the Institute well on its feet by sending our $1.00 to Mr. F. H. Cowing, treasurer.

—A heavy cold prevented Rev. Oliver Huckel of Union church from filling his pulpit last Sunday. His place was supplied by Rev. C. L. Hall, of North Dakota, who is here visiting. Mr. Huckel expects to be in his usual place next Sunday.

—The Elocution class of the People's Institute will begin work under Prof. Bickford on Monday evening, Feb. 8. Students will supply themselves with "Keen's Elocutionist" from Mr. C. F. Vaughan.

—The Union Literary Circle will meet with Rev. Oliver Huckel at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Alden Bowditch, Tuesday evening, Jan. 26. Quotations from Robert Browning.

—Don't forget that you can buy the Gazette in Boston, at the O. C. R. R. depot, after 4.15 o'clock Friday afternoons and all day Saturday. tf

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—The annual fair of the Ladies' Cemetery Improvement Association, which is of general interest to people of this village, will be held in the Union church lecture room, Feb. 15, 16 and 17. Active efforts are in progress to make it surpass all previous fairs. Further particulars later.

—The Y.P.S.E.C. connected with the Universalist church will give the very amusing farce "Done on Both Sides," in Lincoln hall, on Thursday evening, Jan. 28. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the charity fund of the society. The admission will be but 10 cents and it is hoped that the public will be generous in the patronage of so worthy an object.

—John Hunt, son of Willard Hunt, is sick with the grip.

—District Deputy Grand President, Henry Gardner and suite installed the following officers of Weymouth Lodge, No. 35, Order of Ægis last evening. President, John Kelley, Vice Prest., William Lane, Sec'y, Henry M. Storms, Treas., Walter E. Morrisson, Chaplain, Geo B. Rolfe, Inside Guard, Dennis Kiley, Director, William Garde, Trustees, T. J. McCormick, Michael Preston and Robert Gillispie.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wall entertained the members of the Hingham Social Club and a few Weymouth friends at their residence on Broad street, Wednesday evening. There were about seventy-five present and the evening was spent in social games, vocal and instrumental music, etc. An excellent supper was served. The "only Kelley" of base ball fame was among the many present which added a great deal to the evening's enjoyment.

—A valuable horse owned by Phillips & Bacon was taken seriously ill last evening, but under the care of Dr. Davis, is recovering.

—Delphi Lodge, No. 15, K. of P., worked the third rank last evening. There was a large attendance. Next Thursday evening, second rank.

—James Preston of East Braintree and Miss Martha McPherson of Hingham were united in marriage at Hingham, Wednesday evening, Rev. Father Fagan performing the ceremony. They will reside in this village on Granite street.

—A social dance was held in Lincoln hall last evening and was largely attended. The party was in charge of the following committee: John Neil, Edward Nash, Frank Lyon, Russell Worster, Chas. E. Hunt and Chas. Jordan.

—John Hyland and family formerly of Haverhill have removed from there to this place.

—Mrs. John Tower is ill with the grip.

—The annual meeting of the Union church parish was adjourned to next Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock, when it is hoped there will be a quorum present.

—The Loyal Temperance Legion meets every Saturday at 3 p. m. in the parlor of the Baptist church. All children of the village are cordially invited.

—Louis Richards has accepted a position at the factory of Edwin Clapp.

—Geo. H. Bicknell's horse ran away Wednesday and the team was quite badly smashed.

—Wm. E. Field while experimenting with chemicals at the North High school, Tuesday, was quite badly burned about the hands by the chemicals exploding.

—The dance of the Institute Base Ball club which was to have been held tonight has been indefinitely postponed.

South Weymouth Items.

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—The directors of the Weymouth Agricultural & Industrial Society met at the Reform Club Room last Monday night and revised the premium sheet, making it one of the most liberal in awarding premiums of any of the fairs about us.

—The next Farmers' Institute will be held in South Weymouth, on the evening of February 14. This meeting will be under the direction of Charles Hawes, Preston Pratt and Alvah Raymond. The subject will be on "Poultry; The best for laying, for table use, etc." Everything will be done to make this a meeting of great interest, and we hope the attendance will be large. Mention of the particulars will be found in the Gazette at a later period.

—Some of the large trees that were near Agricultural hall have been cut down on account of the rotting of the building. The place looks much better, and it is a decided improvement.

—A female prize-fight took place in this village last Sunday, without gloves, which resulted in a few scratches and the falling out of a little hair; most of it was only stuck on with a few hair pins which made it come off easy. Hair pulling forty years ago compared with that of to-day is quite a different thing.

—Do you use Totman's plain bread? If not, you miss the best in the market.

—Hon. Henry B. Pierce, Secretary of State, accompanied the body of the Rev. Mr. Bowles to Buffalo, where it was cremated, arrangements having been made by Mr. Bowles to that effect.

—It is seldom that a little fellow passes away that causes the public to mourn more than has the death of little Eddie Joy, five years of age. He was a bright little fellow, and the whole village knew him.

—F. W. Loud drives a team of six horses on his long barge that measures 67 feet from the head to the rear.

—The Abigal Adams Lodge of Rebekah, has a membership of nearly two hundred, and still plenty of work on hand.

—When a man pays $150,000 for a horse, another pays $45,000 for a dog, Carmencita gets $100 a minute for dancing, and a laborer $1.25 per day to work in a shoe-shop, the country is in state of progress.

—The supper at the coming event of Wildey Lodge, I. O. O. F. next Monday night, will be served by A. Raymond. The first course will consist of roast turkey, escaloped oysters, sugar-cured ham and cold tongue, with hot rolls and relishes.

—An event of unusual interest to members of Wildey Lodge, I. O. O. F. will take place next Monday evening, when the grand officers of the order in Massachusetts will install the officers elect of Wildey Lodge for the ensuing term. N. G., C. H. Clapp; V. G., E. N. Mayberry; secretary, A. E. Cushing; permanent secretary, J. L. Curtis; treasurer, E. J. Pitcher. The grand officers have not visited Wildey Lodge since 1878, when Louis A. Cook was N. G. Now the aforesaid Louis A. Cook is the grand warden of the order. The work of the third degree will be performed, prior to the installation on three candidates. A sumptuous collation will be served, and all members of the lodge who can attend will undoubtedly be present. The membership of the lodge is rapidly approaching a round 200, and it is fortunate in enrolling on its list of members, not only the grand warden but also the D. D. G. N., Henry A. Thomas.

Weymouth Heights.

—E. W. Arnold has lost a valuable horse. Lung fever was the cause.

—Andrew Hatch has just recovered from a severe attack of bronchitis.

—Last Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Leland preached a very able sermon in the Old North church. Rev. Mr. Kendall was suffering from neuralgia, and not able to be out.

—Wednesday evening the Y. W. C. T. U. held a business meeting with Mrs. Ed. Murphy. The following officers were chosen for '92:—President, Miss Margaret Terry; 1st Vice-President, Miss Minnie Hunt; 2d Vice-President, Miss Mabel Hatch; Recording Secretary, Miss Mary Jones; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Evelyn Blanchard; Treasurer, Miss E. J. Pratt; Supt. Literature, Miss Alice Humphrey; Supt. Press, Miss Annie Thompson.

—Prof. Howard M. Dow is just recovering from a week's illness caused by the rupture in a varicose vein.

—In the January number of the American Journal of Science is a valuable article: "The Law of Elastic Lengthening," by Jos. O. Thompson, of Haverford College, Pa.

—Mrs. Theodore Blanchard is ill with the grip. Mrs. Wm. Pierce is also a victim.

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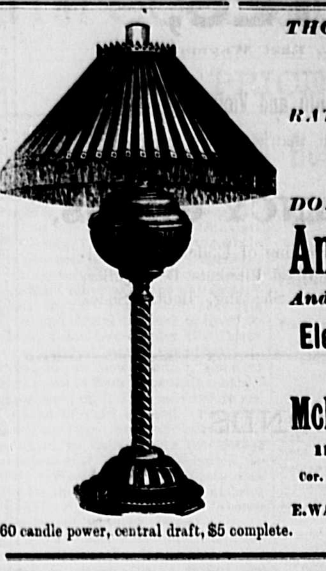

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THE RUSSIAN JEWS.

Congressman Morse Relates Their Miseries.

The full text of Hon. Elijah A. Morse's speech in the House of Representatives on the 6th of this month has come to hand. The paragraphs below are from the Congressional Record. Mr. Morse offered an amendment to the bill to send supplies to the starving Russians to the effect that in their distribution no discrimination should be made against the people known as Israelites or Jews, and defended the same as follows:

Mr. Morse said: Mr. Speaker,—I desire to say that I am heartily in sympathy with this bill. I believe that it ought to pass. I am opposed to the reference of this resolution to any committee and am in favor of its immediate consideration. However cruel or wrong the Russian government may be in the treatment of its subjects that is no reason why this grain and these supplies contributed by the benevolent people of the Northwest should not be forwarded to the starving people of Russia. But it seems to me, Mr. Speaker, since it is a fact well-known to the people of the United States that 5,000,000 citizens of Russia, known as Israelites or Jews, are subjected by the Russian government at this time to the most CRUEL AND RELENTLESS PERSECUTION I think that no harm can arise from coupling these words of mine to this bill and to this contribution from our government, or from our citizens, for the relief of those starving people.

The wrongs done these Jews can only be known by reading the Russian laws and edicts with reference to them. I may refer to simply one of them. Whenever a Russian family for any cause is banished from the country in which they live, the Russian law provides that if there is a daughter in the family she may remain if she will take out a yellow ticket (a license as a woman of the town). I think that any government that will be guilty of such a damnable law as this and other similar laws directed against 5,000,000 of its subjects deserves to have it made known, and no harm can come from telling the Russian government that we are cognizant of the facts; and no harm can come from my suggestion that even-handed justice shall be done those people in the distribution of these supplies in the manner I have indicated in my amendment.

Mr. Boutelle—I would suggest to the gentlemen from Massachusetts (Mr. Morse) that he withdraw his amendment.

Mr. Morse—I am not going to withdraw it, and in reply to the gentleman from Georgia (Mr. Blount), who has seen fit to characterize this amendment which I have offered as mean, I will append to my remarks a copy of several of the laws of the Russian code, and if the gentleman can find anything ON GOD'S GREEN EARTH that is meaner than some of these laws, enacted against the Israelites, the Jewish citizens of that empire, I would like to have him tell me what it is. To say that they are mean does not describe it.

I say, Mr. Speaker, that 5,000,000 citizens of the Russian empire are subjected to the most heartless persecution. These poor men are driven from their homes, houseless, homeless and friendless, to strange lands, without any trade or occupations. Thousands of them are coming to these shores, and charitable people throughout the length and breadth of our country are being compelled to support these starving and destitute people who are coming here. If the gentleman from Georgia (Mr. Blount) thinks my amendment is mean, I want him to turn to the Record tomorrow morning and read some of these Russian edicts against the Israelites; and then if he can find anything meaner than they are I want to know what it is. Now, Mr. Speaker, I say that any government that is guilty of such a crime as I have here described, that is guilty of enacting any such laws against any great portion of its people, as has the czar's government, has placed itself without the pale of sympathy and consideration of any civilized nation on the face of the earth, the United States included.

But while I entertain this view of the czar's government and believe that no kindness shown to us in the day of our distress during the civil war, referred to by gentlemen, can atone for such CRIME AGAINST HUMANITY, yet because the Russian people are suffering, because the innocent are suffering, I am in favor of this bill, and I was in favor of its immediate consideration, and I voted against referring it to any committee. But I fail to see, Mr. Speaker, what harm can arise from coupling this benefaction on the part of our government (for that is what it is, because this government proposes to send these supplies to the Russian people)—Mr. Speaker, I fail to see what harm can come to us or our dignity or what insult can be offered to that government by coupling with this benefaction this suggestion that we desire these supplies distributed indiscriminately, without any discrimination against the Israelties or Jews of that empire.

Now, Mr. Speaker, once more I tell you that in the light of the Russian code appended, which I ask you to read, unless you couple my amendment to this bill, no Israelite in Russia will ever receive ONE SINGLE SPOONFUL of that flour.

The record shows, I am sorry to say, that the populace of Russia, to some extent at least; are parties to this persecution. I am not a prophet or the son of a prophet, but I believe there is a just God that rules on high and governs the affairs of men, and a cry of wrong and distress, unheard by mortal ear, may be heard in heaven; and as he sent plagues to the ancient Egyptians to punish them for their sins against his people, so he may send famine to the PEOPLE OF RUSSIA for the same cause. It is no wonder that the royal family travel in secret and look under every seat for a dynamite bomb.

Mr. Speaker, I am not an Israelite or a Jew. I believe, as the Jews do not, that the Messiah, the Immanuel, the Prince of Peace came in the person of the lowly Nazerine, who walked beneath the palm trees of Judea 18 centuries ago; that he died on the cross for you and me, Mr. Speaker; that he has been "wounded for our transgressions and bruised for our inquities"; that he was "brought as a lamb to the slaughter, and he was dumb like a sheep before her shearer, so he opened not his mouth." But I believe that with all their faults the children of Israel are still the chosen people of God, and finally, when he who sits upon his people "as a refiner and purifier of silver" when the dross is removed, and the Almighty's discipline of centuries shall be fulfilled, the children of Israel will be restored to his favor.

I seem to hear the voice of the Hebrew prophet saying to his chosen people, "For a small moment have I forsaken thee, but in great mercies will I gather thee. In a little wrath I hid my face from thee for a moment; but with everlasting kindness will I have mercy upon thee, saith the Lord thy Redeemer."

Under the call of states on yesterday I introduced resolutions expressing the sentiment of our people in regard to this persecution, unequaled, I believe, since the children of Israel groaned beneath the TASKMASTER OF PHARAOH in Egypt; unequaled since Moses cried to God in their behalf and the Almighty answered "I have heard their groanings and have come down to deliver." If our people are not moved, Mr. Speaker, upon this subject, what means it that the President of the United States thought it of sufficient consequence to call the attention of Congress to this cruel and relentless persecution, and to advise the representatives of the people that, moved by dictates of humanity, he had offered his good offices to the czar's government to secure amelioration and surcease of the same.

What means it that numerous representatives besides myself, from remote sections of the country, yesterday, under the call of states, offered resolutions upon this subject? Then, once more, the United States has a selfish and pecuniary interest to stop this persecution. If these 5,000,000 subjects of the Russian government are to be driven from their homes, are compelled to sacrifice their belongings, they must go to some other country, and already the advance army of these people is being landed on these shores, HOUSELESS, HOMELESS, FRIENDLESS, without trade or occupation in this country whereby they may earn their bread, and at present and for a long time dependent upon the charity of our people. I shall vote for this bill with or without my amendment, because I believe that the mass of the peasantry of Russia cannot, do not sanction or approve the acts of the czar's government which I have described towards the Israelites or Jews. I venture to close these remarks by appending to the same a copy of a preamble and resolution which I offered in the House on yesterday, and which was referred by you, Mr. Speaker, to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, as follows (and I trust that THIS IMPORTANT MATTER will receive the early consideration of that committee):

Whereas it has come to the knowledge of our people that 5,000,000 subjects of the czar of all the Russias, known as Israelites or Jews, are at present subject to the most cruel and relentless persecution, banished from their homes on the most trivial pretext, without opportunity to sell their belongings, thus often driven into exile into strange lands destitute and penniless: and

Whereas the exodus of so large a people is impossible and impracticable:

Resolved, That the representatives of the United States in Congress assembled, recognizing the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man, desire to express our sympathy for these unfortunate people in this hour of their dire distress.

Resolved, While it is against the policy of this government to interfere in the affairs of other nations, yet, in view of the appalling facts recited above, and considering the friendly relations that have always existed between the czar's government and our own, we ask the President of the United States to continue to use his friendly and good offices to secure from the czar's government an amelioration of the condition and a surcease of persecution of these unfortunate people, and that the honorable secretary of state be requested to forward to our minister at St. Petersburg, and through him to his majesty's government, a copy of these resolutions.

Now, Mr. Speaker, in conclusion, I certainly hope this House will REJECT THE AMENDMENT to strike out the appropriation of $100,000, offered by the gentleman from Indiana (Mr. Holman). In 1848, when our government was comparatively feeble and poor, we joyfully commissioned the navy to carry bread to the people of Ireland. Mr. Boutelle, former chairman of the Naval Committee, tells us that the modern war vessels now owned by the government are not suitable for such a purpose. And to refuse the necessary appropriation to carry these supplies to the starving people of Russia—Jews and Gentiles—while it may be in harmony with Democratic "retrenchment and reform," yet it is an act of niggardly parsimony that the government of the United States of America can not afford to make. To adopt the amendment of the gentleman from Indiana (Mr. Holman) is to emasculate and destroy the bill.

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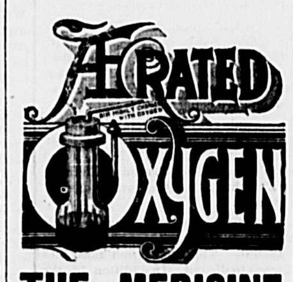

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SYMPHONY IN A FLAT.

(PRELUDE. INTERLUDE. SOLO.)

PRELUDE.

Two German's lived in one hotel enjoying the same flat,
Divided by a single wall, and very thin at that,
Annoyance of every kind they disregarded with care
Until the hour for practice came; then they were in despair.

The fifer's sharpest notes were made just as a mellow tone
From tubor, softest, sweetest, best, by owner stern was blown.
Soon each beside himself with rage would swell the notes quite clear,
To drown his neighbor's triumph bold, his own efforts to hear.

The fifer blew with all his strength the tuborer's ear to cut,
The tuborer sounded sonant ones, the piper's eye to shut,
Until they both were quite surprised to see the wall give way,
From its position neatly torn by the tuborer's sounding bray.

The fifer sitting in his chair did no excitement lack,
He'd risen with the notes still higher and sat upon its back,
And when the tones from tubor blown had burst the yielding wall,
He from his gravity was thrown, in energetic fall.

INTERLUDE.

Then gathering himself, his fife, his chair and music-stand,
The situation he perceived, and with no gentle hand
He drew the tubor, owner, all, through the partition thin,
He being of a stouter mould, the tuborer small and slim.

He set the tubor on the end and with an ireful thrust,
He stuffed the owner in the tube—his head and feet were just
Protruding from the top; then a curious picture showed,
His arms, his body, coat and all were in the tubor stowed.

SOLO.

The portly fifer sat erect, and piped full loud and clear,
He made the other understand, that he could play quite near;
And now the tuborer very slim was doubled up so neat,
And the fifer sat on chair back in victory complete.

A. M. C.

The Matter of an Allowance.

"My dear," whispered the young man, "as we are so soon to be married, we should take a practical view of life and profit by the mistakes of others. For instance, there is the subject of a regular allowance every week for spending money, you know."

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Literary Notes.

—Harper & Brothers announce as ready for publication the Letters of Field-Marshal Count von Moltke to his Mother and his Brothers, translated by Clara Bell and Henry W. Fischer.

—The next volume in the new series of political biographies, "The Queen's Prime Ministers," will be a sketch of the present Prime Minister, The Marquis of Salisbury, written by H. D. Traill, D.C.L. It will be published immediately by Harper & Brothers. The volumes of the series already issued include The Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone, by G. W. E. Russell; The Earl of Beaconsfield, by J. A. Froude; Viscount Melborne, by Henry Dunckley; and Sir Robert Peel, by Justin McCarthy.

—Tess of the D'Urbervilles, Thomas Hardy's latest story, and by some regarded as his best, will be published in book form by Harper & Brothers shortly. The same publishers announce a new edition of William Black's very popular novel, A Daughter of Heth.

The February Arena.

A fine portrait of Herbert Spencer forms a frontispiece to the February Arena. Accompanying that picture is a brilliant biographical sketch of Mr. Spencer's life and work by Wm. H. Hudson, for many years the private secretary of the great philosopher. Robert S. Taylor, a prominent Republican of Indiana, contributes a very thoughtful paper on the Electoral College, under the title, "Danger Ahead." It is treated in a broad, non-partisan spirit, and will richly repay careful perusing. Ex-Gov. Lionel A. Sheldon writes of the railroad problem in a statesman-like manner, evincing a full appreciation of the important difficulties of the problem. His paper is a valuable contribution to the series of political papers now appearing in the Arena. Henry Wood appears in a paper of great ability and profound thought entitled "The Solidarity of the Race." Mr. Wood is the most brilliant philosopher of the modern metaphysical scoool of the day. The editor of the Arena writes on Hypnotism and its Relation to Psychical Research. The paper is a valuable contribution to psychical literature. Mr. Flower cites many wonderful experiments in Hypnotism performed by leading scientists, which illustrate not only the power of mind over mind, but, what is still more astonishing, the potential power of mind over matter. P. Cameron, B. C. L., of Trinity College, Toronto, discusses Inspiration and Heresy, one of the most thoughtful discussions of this timely topic that has yet appeared in Europe or America. C. C. Post, the well-known author of "Driven from Sea to Sea," writes on "The Sub-Treasury Plan" as advocated by the Farmers' Alliance—a clear, interesting exposition of this much ridiculed scheme. It is a paper which all persons should read, as it is a clear, concise presentation of the subject. Rev. Burt Estes Howard, D. D., writes on the Atonement as understood by a Presbyterian clergyman of the liberal wing. Mr. Howard's paper will doubtless create wide-spread interest and comment. A very interesting, popular and timely paper is from the pen of James Realf, Jr., on "The Last American Monarch," being a charming sketch of Dom Pedro, with his personal impressions. The second part of Hamlin Garland's powerful picture of western life and conditions, entitled "A Spoil of Office," fills twenty-five pages of this issue. It is a story of absorbing interest, and without question the best picture of western life which has yet been written. The Arena, as the great liberal and progressive review, is without a peer.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

The Wanderer's Gossip.

"Why not vote separately for the druggists' licenses?" This question was propounded to me by one of the town's much esteemed citizens. The question struck me as containing the germ of a possible reform and I asked him to explain just what he meant. He said: "Why, it is very simple. Let there be two lines upon the Australian ballot for the license question, the first as usual, for the yes or no on general licensing, and below it a separate line for yes and no vote upon granting druggists' licences." The idea seemed to be feasible, and talking further with the same man in regard to it, I gathered that he thought it would relieve the license question of some of its complications, and that many would vote gladly for the second one who could not conscientiously vote yes upon the whole subject of general licensing. I asked him if he thought the vote could be legally divided in that way, and here he was at a loss, and confessed that he did not know, but could see no objection to it. It may be that there is something in this idea for the wise heads of the town to ponder over. If it could be done, it would make the people directly responsible for the granting or not granting of druggists' licenses. Last year, the town voted no license, and the selectmen refused to grant any, even of the sixth class, although the druggists were backed by strong petitions. It is the idea of a great many, I know, that the sixth class licenses should be granted, even though the town votes no license. But at present, the selectmen have to assume the responsibility in this matter. Would not the people's vote be a better and a more acceptable authority? Perphaps if it could not be divided, as suggested, on the Austriaiian ballot, the question could be reached by an article in the town warrant. The idea is given as a little food for thought between now and the March meeting.

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I met a man the other day who was formerly a resident of our town. The conversation turned upon the various attempts that had been made to improve the business here, and as his head seemed to be very level, I will give you some of his remarks. "No one can but be impressed," he said, "with the advantages the town has for mercantile enterprise, but the trouble is the taxes are too high." That is true, said I, but we cannot seem to lower them. "What is the reason the taxes are so high?" he asked. "Has the town undergone any perceptible improvements within the past ten years that warrant the raising of the taxes? By improvements, I mean those outside of lighting, water-works, etc., that all towns have." I could not say that there were any improvements that most other towns did not have, and gave the reason for the high taxes as being in my opinion, the small valuation in comparison with the population and expenses. "Well," he said, "you are probably right, but you will never increase your valuation or get new business there, till you by some means curtail your expenses and reduce the rate of taxation." Our water front and its advantages, nearness to Boston, etc.—the old story—were all rehearsed, but he often reasserted that they would be of no avail till the taxes were reduced by a least three or four dollars on the thousand. When I asked him just how this much desired end could be reached he said, "There can be only one way. Reduce expenses and get along with less till you get more property into the town to tax, and boom your electric railroad; get that started and it will help the town more than anything else by attracting residents and building it up." "The electric road," he went on to say, "will increase traffic in all business, make travel, and in fact, aid everything that pertains to a real live town. The fact is, Weymouth is practically dead, and unless things take a boom soon, the outlook is that the town will be behind all the surrounding towns and be simply the 'second place in New England where our forefathers landed,' merely a relic of the good old times." The conversation turned upon the other towns of the vicinity, and Brockton was at last mentioned in comparison. "Why, just look at Brockton!" he exclaimed, "It seems a shame when you think of Brockton,—a city that possesses neither the acres, beauty, water front, nor the ready access that Weymouth has to Boston and all other ports—to compare the rapidity with which that city has sprung up, and why? Simply because it has had men of push." Much more was said in the same line, but I will not weary the reader with more of his comments, only to give the parting words of my friend which were: "Lower your taxes and induce your moneyed men to build the electric railroad, and Weymouth will see such a boom as will open the eyes of some of the old fossils."

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Down in North Weymouth they are agitated over the lock-up, or absence of the lock-up, which was voted at the last March meeting. Where is it? Five hundred dollars was appropriated. It seems that this is not enough. If a lock-up is needed in that part of the town, a safe one cannot be built for less than $1,250. It is understood that that sum represents the lowest bid which the selectmen have been able to get. If a building could be got for nothing, $500 would hardly be sufficient to fit it up suitably. Will North Weymouth ask for a larger appropriation next March? It would seem that they must or abandon the idea of having a place to lock up their refractory citizens.

WANDERER.

Norfolk and Pilgrim Branch.

The quarterly meeting of the Norfolk and Pilgrim Branch of the Woman's Board of Missions, was held at Wollaston on Tuesday of this week.

Considering the inclement weather, a good audience of ladies had gathered at the hour of opening, the number being somewhat increased later in the day. All the villages in Weymouth were represented, East Weymouth sending eleven delegates.

The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. H. B. Reed of South Weymouth, followed by the Thank Offering Service, the sentiments and quotations being read by Mrs. F. L. Holmes. The contributions at this service amounted to $4.67. The reports of the annual meeting of the board which was held in Brooklyn, N. Y., last week, were intensely interesting, and were made by Mrs. Lincoln of Wollaston, Mrs. Thayer of Holbrook, Miss Tucker of East Weymouth and the president, Mrs. Holmes. It was expected that Mrs. Gordon of Japan would address the meeting, but she was unavoidably detained, and Mr. Robinson, pastor of the church in which the meetings were held, gave a very interesting and profitable address. At the opening of the afternoon session, Miss Hattie Lincoln of Wollaston, sang very sweetly and effectively "Calvary."

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—There are said to be over seven hundred granite workers idle in West Quincy.

—In the decease of George Barker, who died at Pembroke last week, a name becomes extinct in that town which has been prominent in the locality since 1628, when the first settlers of that name landed on these shores.

—It is said that J. Malcolm Forbes of Milton has offered $150,000 for the celebrated colt Arion, which has made a record of 2.10 3-4.

—The people of Wollaston have decided they would rather have their old postal system continued than to have free delivery from the Quincy office; consequently a new post-master has been appointed.

—In Pembroke, last week, six people were buried who had passed the age of three score years and ten.

—The increase in population of Malden in ten years has been 15,000 and the increase in valuation $8,000,000.

—Parties have been flooding Fitchburg with counterfeit five-dollar bills.

—Jacobs' pond in West Norwell is said to be the best pickerel pond in the state. Over one hundred fish were taken from it one day last week.

—The shoe business of Geo. H. Burt & Co. which was moved from Randolph to Avon will soon be returned to Randolph.

—The father of representative James F. Burke was buried at West Quincy last Sunday. He had reached the age of 77 years.

—Fifteen tramps without purse or scrip were harbored one night last week at the Easton alms-house.

—The steamer William Harrison of the Nantasket Beach line has been sold to parties at Niagara Falls, and will be taken to that place early in the spring via the Welland Canal.

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CHAPTER II.

The door opened to admit Miss Ruby Armstrong.

The doctor went away without ceremony, and Hannah picked up the dollar bill he had left under the ironing stand. "There's good folks in the world," she said to herself; "folks that makes us believe in God's heaven, in love and justice and mercy, when the world is all stony and our feet are bleedin' along the rough ground. Bless that fat old doctor, he's got a heart as big as an ox. This bill will help toward half a ton of coal to keep the old man warm," and she tucked it into the family Bible on the shelf, where many another from the same source had before been hidden.

The morning was getting on, and Hannah's work was not yet half done. So she turned again to her toil, bending her spare form until every muscle and sinew was brought into play in the concentration of what she had to do. She put forth vital energy and was a "terrible worker," as Miss Ruby Armstrong truly called her. When the town clock struck twelve the backbone of her labor had been broken. Happily Mr. Rand's luncheon in the middle of the day consisted of a simple bowl of bread and milk and did not demand even a cup of tea. But Hannah brewed herself a cup, and of the strongest. She smoothed her black hair back with both her hands as she sat down by her ironing table to rest and wiped the big beads of perspiration from her forehead.

A nature like Hannah's finds a dangerous backstay in tea, and when she had swallowed two cups she felt strong again, like Samson when his hair had grown. She made ready the tray for her old man, as she called him, and tapped lightly at the parlor door. The summons came at once, and Hannah, as she passed within, seemed to have entered another sphere. Here in this large, low ceiled room, with its simple rustic furnishings dignified by a case of rare old books, the still air of congenial studies seemed to brood. The very daylight was different as it fell in through the windows on the garden side, where in a budding apple tree a robin was gurgling out a few notes with the nipping wind blowing awry the orange feathers on its breast.

In the streak of sunshine that fell across the faded ingrain carpets and the writing table covered with books and papers sat the old man, tall and spare and still unbent, though nailed to his easy chair. A few spare white locks escaped from under a velvet skull cap and were scattered over a broad forehead, with those projections over the eyes that indicate acute perceptions and long powers of thought. The whole expression of the face was sweet and tranquil, and the soft brown eyes were peculiarly benignant. His linen was spotlessly clean, but the dressing gown in which he was enveloped was well patched and darned, and the cloth slippers also showed signs of Hannah's deft mending. But he wore a gold watch and chain, and his handkerchief was white and dainty. His beard and hair were well trimmed, and though one hand was practically helpless the nails were attended to with scrupulous care. Not one of the gentlemanlike habits of his better days had been neglected. He had never been a slovenly bookworm, and the habits of order and personal purity were deeply ingrained. Even his writing table and books showed the refined neatness of a cultivated woman, and a pink hyacinth in its glass added a bit of color as it stood there expanding in the gleam of sunshine. Hannah laid aside newspapers and put the luncheon tray before him with a certain air of deference, as if it were her pride and privilege to serve the old man.

"I never did see anything so cute as that there robin," said she, calling up a smile to her brown face that made it attractive. "It's that same sly old bird that gets here first every year before any of the others come along, and always sings before your window. I don't believe there's another spring bird in town, but your old friend has found you out and is giving you a concert almost before the first dandelion has popped above ground."

"I give the fellow my dinner crumbs," said the old man, "and he knows where he is likely to get fed; that's the reason he comes sneaking 'round here with his cheery little twitter. You know, Hannah, some wise man has said there are only two great passions in nature—love and hunger—and birds can feel them just as we do."

"Well, I didn't know he come from a selfish motive," said Hannah, who had begun to freshen the fire in the stove; "I thought it did him good to get 'round into your sunshine, as it does most folks."

All the fine wrinkles in the old man's face filled with light and his eyes glowed softly. He loved a little flattery from Hannah because she never flattered any one else, and the delicacy of her praise and affection, considering their peculiar relations, made the old man think better of human nature, though he was never inclined to think very ill of it in spite of all his losses and crosses. He philosophized on most things not bitterly, but in the spirit of Montaigne or Charles Lamb, with a mildly sarcastic smile on his lips and soft relentings in his soul.

"Hannah," said he, turning about as far as his useless, paralyzed neck would let him, "do you ever have days, especially in the spring, when the thoughts go on simmering in your brain until you feel as if you must write them down?"

"No, I don't," said she curtly; "but there are times when the same dull thoughts go grindin' round and round in my head until I feel as if I must go out in the lot and scream bloody murder. But I ain't no hand at writin'; I didn't even learn to spell when I was little, and I'd rather do a day's washin' than get up a letter."

"But when you have read something, Hannah, that sets your mind to work."

"Oh, I ain't no hand to read, Mr. Rand, and I never was. I had only poor chances and no schoolin' to speak of. I'm often shamed by Dick and Sybil because they know things I can't no way get into my head. Why, I'd rather clean house a week than study over them big black books of your's an hour. I couldn't make out the meanin' of the long words no way. I can read the Bible sometimes when I'm tired. Not that I understand it all, but the old book opens of itself to some of the most soothin' of the Psalms or to the Sermon on the Mount, and I don't think what the words mean. Comfort flows into all my bones, and my heart is eased of its load and I feel rested and refreshed. But I've got the poorest head to understand book learnin', and I can't even read them novels Sybil brings home from the library. They'se all stuff and nonsense. What's the use of makin' up stories out of your head that ain't true and never could have happened, when there are things the most wonderful, unaccountable, strange, sad, joyful and tragical happening all the time right around us—things that if they were written down in a book would never be believed because they are so much beyond anything them fiddle faddle novel writers can think up. It's my novel to watch folks and see how they live and die, lie and steal, and overreach and are overreached; to see how mean they are and how generous, to see how goodness breaks out like the sun and wickedness comes to light unbeknown. My book is the folks right round, their sayings and doings, love and hate and queerness and tears and laughter. I wish I could get some of the other kind of learnin' in my head, but I can't, and I'm near distracted when I try to help Dick at night with his sums and find my brain go buzzing and humming as if a swarm of bees had just lit down in it."

"I wish I could help Dick," said the old man with a gentle sigh; "but I've a worse head for figures than you have, Hannah, and I'm afraid I never could teach anything useful or practical. My delight is to follow out odd trains of thought, to chase them into corners, up and down in all their twistings and twinings. Did you ever hear of one Thomas Carlyle, Hannah?"

"I don't believe I ever did," said Hannah, "unless he was one of them old fellows whose books you gave Dick to read."

"No, no, Hannah, he was a modern, a wonderful chap, I can tell you, for he pricked more bubbles and showed up more shams in his time than any other man. He wrote a book, Hannah, on the philosophy of clothes, and I've been reading it this morning, and was tempted to try and write a little piece of my own, not in imitation of Carlyle's style of writing, for that would be presumptuous, but just to catch the overflow of my own thoughts and fancies. Sit down and rest for five minutes, Hannah, I would like to read it to you to see what you think of it."

Hannah sat down uneasily on the edge of a chair, and the old man cleared his voice and took up a sheet of paper from the table before him and read the following fragment:

"Oh, you little viper self, you miscreated devil! How to live with you on decent terms I know not, seeing that to live without you I cannot and there is little hope of your amendment. Oh, the tricks you play me, the mean, wretched turns, the illusions you cherish, the false hopes you raise! Your vanity is without bounds, and when you have done a mean act you come fawning with low and base excuses. Who can count your subterfuges, your cunning tricks and turns? You are as sensitive and weak as a woman and as foolish as a child. You poor, ugly monster; I cannot hate you, I ought not to love you, for we must live together and rub along through the world as best we can. I try to improve you morally, you know I do. I starve you on a poor diet, and feed you on the hard, dry bread of philosophy washed down with tears of penitence, but I cannot change your nature. You come up always the same."

"Well, what do you think of it, Hannah?" said the old man, spying on her over the top of his spectacles.

"I don't think much of it," said Hannah discontentedly, "that is if I sense it right. You know you ain't a selfish man, and why should you be writin' lies about yourself? If that's the way your friend Carlyle goes on I don't take much stock in him."

The old man's mouth puckered shrewdly. He liked Hannah's spiciness and thought she had a streak of genius in her. "What a terrible critic you would make, Hannah. You would not leave the poor authors a shred of vanity to cover their nakedness."

"I should like," said Hannah grimly, "to make them novelists hop like a hen on a hot griddle—them that flood the country with sentimental stuff out of their own heads when the world is all red hot with reality—suffering and tears and groans and poverty and wickedness and sin. It makes me mad that folks can't write God's truth if they must write at all."

She went out of the old man's room conscious that she had been rather rude toward his literary aspirations, but she did not hear him chuckling softly to himself at the amusement Hannah's talk had afforded him.

Now it was time to fold Judge Rivers' shirts and Mrs. Price's baby linen and pack them in the basket covered with a dainty blue mosquito netting for Dick to take home when he returned from his work. When the kitchen was all cleaned up, the ironing table set back, the clotheshorse put away, the irons placed in a row on the pantry shelf, Hannah smoothed her hair and put on a clean apron for the afternoon rest. The April sunshine was coming in at her western window, making a warm, ruddy splash on the plastered wall. Hannah drew her rocking chair and little work table into the sunny corner, for rest did not mean idleness to her. She had a pair of Dick's trousers to patch, revealing a complicated hole, six cornered and jagged, that seemed almost as formidable to Hannah as a problem in Euclid. She was just wrinkling her forehead over the task of trying to fill this aching void with a round bit of cloth too small to fit it, when there came a tap on the door, and before she had time to say "Come in" the door opened to admit the plump person of Miss Ruby Armstrong.

Miss Ruby was Hannah's nearest neighbor. She lived in a tiny white cottage with a weedy old garden attached, and kept her sister Jane, who had spells of being demented, when she fancied herself the angel Gabriel and would blow shrill blasts on a tin horn out of the window to inform the benighted neighborhood that the end of the world was at hand. But these spells were not very numerous. She was generally quiet and harmless, and not without quick flashes of sense and insight and a knowledge of what was going on about her that made Ruby feel, as she said at times, very "streaked," as if Jane were bewitched. Moreover, she had intervals of remembering things long past which everybody else had forgotten, and suddenly dragging them out to the light in a eerie, elfish way that gave poor Ruby creeping sensations all the way down her spine.

Ruby never knew what was going on in Jane's mind. The poor old creature would sit whole days together in the sun, in a bed ticking gown, made much in the form of a bag tied around the waist with a string, crooning a senseless little song and trying to catch imaginary feathers she saw floating in the air. Then she would fix her strange eyes on her sister and bring out something from the depths of her incoherent thoughts that made the blood run cold.

She was never violent, and at times would take to her bed and sleep for days curled up like a dormouse, when again she did not sleep a wink for a week, but wandered about at night, making a little, low, feeble wail like a lost child. She had a way of purloining small articles and hiding them, and of bringing them out in unexpected moments much to her sister's surprise. Ruby never crossed her in anything except to keep matches out of her way lest she should set herself on fire. So she went and came, muttering to herself or singing eerily, as she pleased. At times she would pull out the old girlish finery she kept in her bureau drawers, and laying off the bedtick would array herself fantastically in a great scoop bonnet and a big flowered shawl, and with a bead bag on her arm would go to visit some of the near neighbors, who always treated her kindly and gave her food.

Jane's insanity was of so mild a type it did not trouble Ruby much, but there were other things quite apart from her peculiar household and haphazard ways of getting along that caused her to take dark views of the world and society. These were principally the homeless village cats and the ill treatment of horses, and in fact of all dumb animals by brutal men and thoughtless boys. The grasshopper was not so great a burden, but when a mangy, half starved kitten with a sore on its hind leg came under Miss Ruby's observation she lost faith in the Providential government of the world and felt that the powers of evil were reveling much as they pleased. One such waif and stray had been cherished and reared by her and had now become as sacred in the Armstrong house as an old Egyptian cat divinity. Any benighted creature in Littlefield who did not know and admire the virtues of the great tortoise shell Crumpet was immediately crossed off Miss Ruby's books.

Miss Ruby was stout—of that soft, comfortable kind of stoutness that easily rolls itself into a ball on a sofa and falls into a catnap on the slightest provocation. Even early in the morning she was always slightly yawning behind her plump hand, as if just aroused from forty winks. She kept no maid, and her little house and untidy garden went along in an accidental, lazy fashion peculiar to herself. There did not seem to be regular meals in Ruby's house. She ate when she felt like eating, and so did her old sister Jane. But there was one thing in which Ruby Armstrong was a perfect adept, and that was the rearing of house plants. Her winter windows were always filled with the loveliest roses and geraniums, and when she had all the flowers she wanted in little pots and tubs and cracked bowls she could live all day on a few prunes, a dry cracker, a cup of tea and an egg.

Now, when Ruby knocked at Hannah's door Hannah at once recognized it as a pessimistic knock, and knew something had gone wrong with the Littlefield cats. She made haste to welcome her visitor, giving her the rocking chair by the sunny window, into which Ruby sank with a big sigh. She threw off her three shawls and a jacket, for Ruby needed a deal of bundling in chilly weather, and let the little woolen hood called a fascinator fall off her back hair. Over this she had tied a lace scarf. She had brought with her a glass of clear red currant jelly.

"It's for Mr. Rand," said she, putting it down on the table. "I thought it might relish in this dry time between hay and grass."

"So it will," said Hannah, and then she added, after a moment's pause, as she snipped away with the shears. "I should like to send your sister Jane one of my fresh apple pies. The joke of it is there ain't a mite of apple in it. It's made of soaked cracker and lime juice, but you can't hardly tell the difference."

Hannah put by her work, and stepping into the pantry brought forth a nice flaky pie, which she slipped off the plate and pinned in a clean towel.

"You needn't be so proud," said Ruby, with a little flush, "as to think I brought in the jel hoping for a return."

"Oh, I know you didn't," said Hannah; "but you must remember it's blessed to give as well as to receive. Things ought not to be all on one side."

"I guess I do look kind of crooked out of my eyes today," said Ruby with a sigh. "The awful wickedness of this world seems to weigh on me like a mountain. I was walking up Sprint's hill yesterday afternoon, where they are mending the road, and there was a burly Irishman with a poor old rackabones of a horse harnessed to a heavy cart, loaded down with dirt and stone, and he had got into a hole, and the old horse was trying to pull out; and, oh, it was pitiful to see how he straightened himself like a string, and panted and tugged till his knees bent under him, while that brute of a man laid on the blows to make him draw what he couldn't no way draw. So I stopped, and I looked awful, I know I did, and I pointed my umbrel straight at him, and says I solemn as ever I could, 'Have you got a soul?'

"He took off his old cap and scratched his head and kind of grinned. Says he, 'I dunno.' 'Well,' says I, 'if you had you'd blush for shame for your cruelty to that poor old horse.' Then he grinned again and pretended to be awfully polite. 'Why, mum,' says he, 'do you call that hoss old? He's one of the finest hosses in Littlefield, and he ain't half as old as you be.'"

Hannah gave a little spasmodic laugh as she bent over Dick's trousers, then checked herself suddenly. "It was shameful, downright shameful, Ruby. But what did you do? You certainly would not allow that brute of a man to go unpunished?"

"I went straight to the selectmen sitting there in the town hall," said Miss Ruby severely, "and laid the case before them, and I asked them if this was a civilized, enlightened, Christian country and if there wasn't any redress. I told them, too, how the boys come nights and mewed round our house like sick cats, dressed up in white sheets to pretend they're ghosts, and I asked for protection; and all the men they seemed suddenly to be taken with a coughing fit, and I thought they were all coming down with the grip.

"And that fat old Dr. Buskirk was more polite, but, says he, Miss Ruby we haven't any jurisdiction in these cases unless you can bring witnesses. So I walked home without getting any satisfaction, and I found," said Ruby, with a sob in her voice, "that our big tortoise shell Crumpet, that creature we had every confidence in, so well brought up as he had been, had caught a little young sparrow in the cherry tree and was eating it on our very doorstep. Oh, then Mis' Fearing, I did feel that the whole earth groaneth and travaileth together; all things turned black before my eyes. But when I reflected on the way cats are treated in this town, how they are starved and chased and shot at by wicked boys, I couldn't wonder that Crumpet's morals had become corrupted.

"And do you know, Hannah," she went on, "I mean to leave what little money I die possessed of, if Jane goes before me, to a kind of cat's hospital. I'm going to give our house for it, and have a little graveyard in back where the garden patch is so that they may be buried decently. Wouldn't you like to join a society for the protection of cats and sick kittens, and perhaps we might do something for old, wornout horses."

"I don't believe I should," said Hannah slowly, as she drew out a long thread. "I know there's brutes that abuse dumb creatures and I abhor their cruelty, but I guess, Ruby, if we protected cats the town would be overrun and there would be no sleeping at night. As long as there's ignorant folks that long for teachin', and poor children that can't get it, and miserable babies that oughtn't never to have been born, and neglected old people, and folks out of work too proud to beg, and hard worked women and farmers' wives, and sick folks that need necessaries I guess I must give most of my pity and sympathy to them. I know you mean well, Ruby, and I respect your feelin's. I wouldn't never laugh and think it's just an old maid's notion with you, this love of dumb creatures."

"It was always my way," said Ruby, "to take up with the weakest, and there aint anything weaker or more unprotected than a cat, unless it's the bird that fights with the squirrels when they're tryin' to drive the birds away from my cherries that they may gobble all the fruit themselves. The Bible, Hannah, don't have a word to say about cats, though it tells us not to muzzle the ox when he treads out the corn. But there's not a word about overloading horses, except it be that a merciful man is merciful to his beast; but that most likely refers to the ass or donkey."

"If I was you," said Hannah, "I wouldn't leave my property to the cats. When you're dead and gone there won't be nobody left in this town to feel about dumb beasts as you do, and your will won't be carried out. I should rather leave the place for a lodging house for tramps, where they could get a bath and a meal and work it out sawing wood, or I would make it into a hospital for sick babies."

"Dunno," said Ruby, nursing her chin in her hand. "There'll be always them that'll take care of the babies, and as for the tramps I haven't the horror of dirt you have. Dirt is the poor man's undershirt, and I can't see as it does him much good to souse him in a tub of water and then let him go and wallow in the next puddle he comes to. There don't seem to be nothing I want to do with my money but to give it to the abused, homeless cats, and the overworked, galled, sore backed horses."

[*Continued next week.*]

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Norfolk Club. Secretary's Report, January 23, 1892.

The Norfolk Club was organized in March, 1884, and after eight years of growth we find it strong and vigorous, with a large membership, unabated interest and steadfast in its adherence to the great principles of the Republican party. Temporary defeats have not daunted it; no dissensions have found encouragement within its ranks, and it claims a membership as loyal and consistent as any similar organization in the land. The executive committee has labored earnestly for the best interests of the club, and if not always successful in obtaining speakers of national reputation, political questions have been ably discussed around our board and much has been done for the entertainment of members.

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THE RUSSIAN JEWS.

Congressman Morse Relates Their Miseries.

The full text of Hon. Elijah A. Morse's speech in the House of Representatives on the 6th of this month has come to hand. The paragraphs below are from the Congressional Record. Mr. Morse offered an amendment to the bill to send supplies to the starving Russians to the effect that in their distribution no discrimination should be made against the people known as Israelites or Jews, and defended the same as follows:

Mr. Morse said: Mr. Speaker,—I desire to say that I am heartily in sympathy with this bill. I believe that it ought to pass. I am opposed to the reference of this resolution to any committee and am in favor of its immediate consideration. However cruel or wrong the Russian government may be in the treatment of its subjects that is no reason why this grain and these supplies contributed by the benevolent people of the Northwest should not be forwarded to the starving people of Russia. But it seems to me, Mr. Speaker, since it is a fact well-known to the people of the United States that 5,000,000 citizens of Russia, known as Israelites or Jews, are subjected by the Russian government at this time to the most

CRUEL AND RELENTLESS PERSECUTION

I think that no harm can arise from coupling these words of mine to this bill and to this contribution from our government, or from our citizens, for the relief of those starving people.

The wrongs done these Jews can only be known by reading the Russian laws and edicts with reference to them. I may refer to simply one of them. Whenever a Russian family for any cause is banished from the country in which they live, the Russian law provides that if there is a daughter in the family she may remain if she will take out a yellow ticket (a license as a woman of the town). I think that any government that will be guilty of such a damnable law as this and other similar laws directed against 5,000,000 of its subjects deserves to have it made known, and no harm can come from telling the Russian government that we are cognizant of the facts; and no harm can come from my suggestion that even-handed justice shall be done those people in the distribution of these supplies in the manner I have indicated in my amendment.

Mr. Boutelle—I would suggest to the gentlemen from Massachusetts (Mr. Morse) that he withdraw his amendment.

Mr. Morse—I am not going to withdraw it, and in reply to the gentleman from Georgia (Mr. Blount), who has seen fit to characterize this amendment which I have offered as mean, I will append to my remarks a copy of several of the laws of the Russian code, and if the gentleman can find anything

ON GOD'S GREEN EARTH

that is meaner than some of these laws, enacted against the Israelites, the Jewish citizens of that empire, I would like to have him tell me what it is. To say that they are mean does not describe it.

I say, Mr. Speaker, that 5,000,000 citizens of the Russian empire are subjected to the most heartless persecution. These poor men are driven from their homes, houseless, homeless and friendless, to strange lands, without any trade or occupations. Thousands of them are coming to these shores, and charitable people throughout the length and breadth of our country are being compelled to support these starving and destitute people who are coming here. If the gentleman from Georgia (Mr. Blount) thinks my amendment is mean, I want him to turn to the Record tomorrow morning and read some of these Russian edicts against the Israelites; and then if he can find anything meaner than they are I want to know what it is. Now, Mr. Speaker, I say that any government that is guilty of such a crime as I have here described, that is guilty of enacting any such laws against any great portion of its people, as has the czar's government, has placed itself without the pale of sympathy and consideration of any civilized nation on the face of the earth, the United States included.

But while I entertain this view of the czar's government and believe that no kindness shown to us in the day of our distress during the civil war, referred to by gentlemen, can atone for such

CRIME AGAINST HUMANITY,

yet because the Russian people are suffering, because the innocent are suffering, I am in favor of this bill, and I was in favor of its immediate consideration, and I voted against referring it to any committee. But I fail to see, Mr. Speaker, what harm can arise from coupling this benefaction on the part of our government (for that is what it is, because this government proposes to send these supplies to the Russian people)—Mr. Speaker, I fail to see what harm can come to us or our dignity or what insult can be offered to that government by coupling with this benefaction this suggestion that we desire these supplies distributed indiscriminately, without any discrimination against the Israelties or Jews of that empire.

Now, Mr. Speaker, once more I tell you that in the light of the Russian code appended, which I ask you to read, unless you couple my amendment to this bill, no Israelite in Russia will ever receive

ONE SINGLE SPOONFUL

of that flour.

The record shows, I am sorry to say, that the populace of Russia, to some extent at least; are parties to this persecution. I am not a prophet or the son of a prophet, but I believe there is a just God that rules on high and governs the affairs of men, and a cry of wrong and distress, unheard by mortal ear, may be heard in heaven; and as he sent plagues to the ancient Egyptians to punish them for their sins against his people, so he may send famine to the

PEOPLE OF RUSSIA

for the same cause. It is no wonder that the royal family travel in secret and look under every seat for a dynamite bomb.

Mr. Speaker, I am not an Israelite or a Jew. I believe, as the Jews do not, that the Messiah, the Immanuel, the Prince of Peace came in the person of the lowly Nazerine, who walked beneath the palm trees of Judea 18 centuries ago; that he died on the cross for you and me, Mr. Speaker; that he has been "wounded for our transgressions and bruised for our inquities"; that he was "brought as a lamb to the slaughter, and he was dumb like a sheep before her shearer, so he opened not his mouth." But I believe that with all their faults the children of Israel are still the chosen people of God, and finally, when he who sits upon his people "as a refiner and purifier of silver" when the dross is removed, and the Almighty's discipline of centuries shall be fulfilled, the children of Israel will be restored to his favor.

I seem to hear the voice of the Hebrew prophet saying to his chosen people, "For a small moment have I forsaken thee, but in great mercies will I gather thee. In a little wrath I hid my face from thee for a moment; but with everlasting kindness will I have mercy upon thee, saith the Lord thy Redeemer."

Under the call of states on yesterday I introduced resolutions expressing the sentiment of our people in regard to this persecution, unequaled, I believe, since the children of Israel groaned beneath the

TASKMASTER OF PHARAOH.

in Egypt; unequaled since Moses cried to God in their behalf and the Almighty answered "I have heard their groanings and have come down to deliver." If our people are not moved, Mr. Speaker, upon this subject, what means it that the President of the United States thought it of sufficient consequence to call the attention of Congress to this cruel and relentless persecution, and to advise the representatives of the people that, moved by dictates of humanity, he had offered his good offices to the czar's government to secure amelioration and surcease of the same.

What means it that numerous representatives besides myself, from remote sections of the country, yesterday, under the call of states, offered resolutions upon this subject? Then, once more, the United States has a selfish and pecuniary interest to stop this persecution. If these 5,000,000 subjects of the Russian government are to be driven from their homes, are compelled to sacrifice their belongings, they must go to some other country, and already the advance army of these people is being landed on these shores,

HOUSELESS, HOMELESS, FRIENDLESS,

without trade or occupation in this country whereby they may earn their bread, and at present and for a long time dependent upon the charity of our people. I shall vote for this bill with or without my amendment, because I believe that the mass of the peasantry of Russia cannot, do not sanction or approve the acts of the czar's government which I have described towards the Israelites or Jews. I venture to close these remarks by appending to the same a copy of a preamble and resolution which I offered in the House on yesterday, and which was referred by you, Mr. Speaker, to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, as follows (and I trust that

THIS IMPORTANT MATTER

will receive the early consideration of that committee):

Whereas it has come to the knowledge of our people that 5,000,000 subjects of the czar of all the Russias, known as Israelites or Jews, are at present subject to the most cruel and relentless persecution, banished from their homes on the most trivial pretext, without opportunity to sell their belongings, thus often driven into exile into strange lands destitute and penniless: and

Whereas the exodus of so large a people is impossible and impracticable:

Resolved, That the representatives of the United States in Congress assembled, recognizing the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man, desire to express our sympathy for these unfortunate people in this hour of their dire distress.

Resolved, While it is against the policy of this government to interfere in the affairs of other nations, yet, in view of the appalling facts recited above, and considering the friendly relations that have always existed between the czar's government and our own, we ask the President of the United States to continue to use his friendly and good offices to secure from the czar's government an amelioration of the condition and a surcease of persecution of these unfortunate people, and that the honorable secretary of state be requested to forward to our minister at St. Petersburg, and through him to his majesty's government, a copy of these resolutions.

Now, Mr. Speaker, in conclusion, I certainly hope this House will

REJECT THE AMENDMENT

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The fifer blew with all his strength the tuborer's ear to cut,
The tuborer sounded sonant ones, the piper's eye to shut,
Until they both were quite surprised to see the wall give way,
From its position neatly torn by the tuborer's sounding bray.

The fifer sitting in his chair did no excitement lack,
He'd risen with the notes still higher and sat upon its back,
And when the tones from tubor blown had burst the yielding wall,
He from his gravity was thrown, in energetic fall.

INTERLUDE.

Then gathering himself, his fife, his chair and music-stand,
The situation he perceived, and with no gentle hand,
He drew the tubor, owner, all, through the partition thin,
He being of a stouter mould, the tuborer small and slim.

He set the tubor on the end and with an ireful thrust,
He stuffed the owner in the tube—his head and feet were just
Protruding from the top; then a curious picture showed,
His arms, his body, coat and all were in the tubor stowed.

SOLO.

The portly fifer sat erect, and piped full loud and clear,
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The February Arena.

A fine portrait of Herbert Spencer forms a frontispiece to the February Arena. Accompanying that picture is a brilliant biographical sketch of Mr. Spencer's life and work by Wm. H. Hudson, for many years the private secretary of the great philosopher. Robert S. Taylor, a prominent Republican of Indiana, contributes a very thoughtful paper on the Electoral College, under the title, "Danger Ahead." It is treated in a broad, non-partisan spirit, and will richly repay careful perusing. Ex-Gov. Lionel A. Sheldon writes of the railroad problem in a statesman-like manner, evincing a full appreciation of the important difficulties of the problem. His paper is a valuable contribution to the series of political papers now appearing in the Arena. Henry Wood appears in a paper of great ability and profound thought entitled "The Solidarity of the Race." Mr. Wood is the most brilliant philosopher of the modern metaphysical school of the day. The editor of the Arena writes on Hypnotism and its Relation to Psychical Research. The paper is a valuable contribution to psychical literature. Mr. Flower cites many wonderful experiments in Hypnotism performed by leading scientists, which illustrate not only the power of mind over mind, but, what is still more astonishing, the potential power of mind over matter. P. Cameron, B. C. L., of Trinity College, Toronto, discusses Inspiration and Heresy, one of the most thoughtful discussions of this timely topic that has yet appeared in Europe or America. C. C. Post, the well-known author of "Driven from Sea to Sea," writes on "The Sub-Treasury Plan" as advocated by the Farmers' Alliance—a clear, interesting exposition of this much ridiculed scheme. It is a paper which all persons should read, as it is a clear, concise presentation of the subject. Rev. Burt Estes Howard, D. D., writes on the Atonement as understood by a Presbyterian clergyman of the liberal wing. Mr. Howard's paper will doubtless create wide-spread interest and comment. A very interesting, popular and timely paper is from the pen of James Realf, Jr., on "The Last American Monarch," being a charming sketch of Dom Pedro, with his personal impressions. The second part of Hamlin Garland's powerful picture of western life and conditions, entitled "A Spoil of Office," fills twenty-five pages of this issue. It is a story of absorbing interest, and without question the best picture of western life which has yet been written. The Arena, as the great liberal and progressive review, is without a peer.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

The Wanderer's Gossip.

"Why not vote separately for the druggists' licenses?" This question was propounded to me by one of the town's much esteemed citizens. The question struck me as containing the germ of a possible reform and I asked him to explain just what he meant. He said: "Why, it is very simple. Let there be two lines upon the Australian ballot for the license question, the first as usual, for the yes or no on general licensing, and below it a separate line for yes and no vote upon granting druggists' licences." The idea seemed to be feasible, and talking further with the same man in regard to it, I gathered that he thought it would relieve the license question of some of its complications, and that many would vote gladly for the second one who could not conscientiously vote yes upon the whole subject of general licensing. I asked him if he thought the vote could be legally divided in that way, and here he was at a loss, and confessed that he did not know, but could see no objection to it. It may be that there is something in this idea for the wise heads of the town to ponder over. If it could be done, it would make the people directly responsible for the granting or not granting of druggists' licenses. Last year, the town voted no license, and the selectmen refused to grant any, even of the sixth class, although the druggists were backed by strong petitions. It is the idea of a great many, I know, that the sixth class licenses should be granted, even though the town votes no license. But at present, the selectmen have to assume the responsibility in this matter. Would not the people's vote be a better and a more acceptable authority? Perphaps if it could not be divided, as suggested, on the Australian ballot, the question could be reached by an article in the town warrant. The idea is given as a little food for thought between now and the March meeting.

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I met a man the other day who was formerly a resident of our town. The conversation turned upon the various attempts that had been made to improve the business here, and as his head seemed to be very level, I will give you some of his remarks. "No one can but be impressed," he said, "with the advantages the town has for mercantile enterprise, but the trouble is the taxes are too high." That is true, said I, but we cannot seem to lower them. "What is the reason the taxes are so high?" he asked. "Has the town undergone any perceptible improvements within the past ten years that warrant the raising of the taxes? By improvements, I mean those outside of lighting, water-works, etc., that all towns have." I could not say that there were any improvements that most other towns did not have, and gave the reason for the high taxes as being in my opinion, the small valuation in comparison with the population and expenses. "Well," he said, "you are probably right, but you will never increase your valuation or get new business there, till you by some means curtail your expenses and reduce the rate of taxation." Our water front and its advantages, nearness to Boston, etc.—the old story—were all rehearsed, but he often reasserted that they would be of no avail till the taxes were reduced by a least three or four dollars on the thousand. When I asked him just how this much desired end could be reached he said, "There can be only one way. Reduce expenses and get along with less till you get more property into the town to tax, and boom your electric railroad; get that started and it will help the town more than anything else by attracting residents and building it up." "The electric road," he went on to say, "will increase traffic in all business, make travel, and in fact, aid everything that pertains to a real live town. The fact is, Weymouth is practically dead, and unless things take a boom soon, the outlook is that the town will be behind all the surrounding towns and be simply the 'second place in New England where our forefathers landed,' merely a relic of the good old times." The conversation turned upon the other towns of the vicinity, and Brockton was at last mentioned in comparison. "Why, just look at Brockton!" he exclaimed, "It seems a shame when you think of Brockton,—a city that possesses neither the acres, beauty, water front, nor the ready access that Weymouth has to Boston and all other ports—to compare the rapidity with which that city has sprung up, and why? Simply because it has had men of push." Much more was said in the same line, but I will not weary the reader with more of his comments, only to give the parting words of my friend which were: "Lower your taxes and induce your moneyed men to build the electric railroad, and Weymouth will see such a boom as will open the eyes of some of the old fossils."

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Down in North Weymouth they are agitated over the lock-up, or absence of the lock-up, which was voted at the last March meeting. Where is it? Five hundred dollars was appropriated. It seems that this is not enough. If a lock-up is needed in that part of the town, a safe one cannot be built for less than $1,250. It is understood that that sum represents the lowest bid which the selectmen have been able to get. If a building could be got for nothing, $500 would hardly be sufficient to fit it up suitably. Will North Weymouth ask for a larger appropriation next March? It would seem that they must or abandon the idea of having a place to lock up their refractory citizens.

WANDERER.

Norfolk and Pilgrim Branch.

The quarterly meeting of the Norfolk and Pilgrim Branch of the Woman's Board of Missions, was held at Wollaston on Tuesday of this week.

Considering the inclement weather, a good audience of ladies had gathered at the hour of opening, the number being somewhat increased later in the day. All the villages in Weymouth were represented, East Weymouth sending eleven delegates.

The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. H. B. Reed of South Weymouth, followed by the Thank Offering Service, the sentiments and quotations being read by Mrs. F. L. Holmes. The contributions at this service amounted to $4.67. The reports of the annual meeting of the board which was held in Brooklyn, N. Y., last week, were intensely interesting, and were made by Mrs. Lincoln of Wollaston, Mrs. Thayer of Holbrook, Miss Tucker of East Weymouth and the president, Mrs. Holmes. It was expected that Mrs. Gordon of Japan would address the meeting, but she was unavoidably detained, and Mr. Robinson, pastor of the church in which the meetings were held, gave a very interesting and profitable address. At the opening of the afternoon session, Miss Hattie Lincoln of Wollaston, sang very sweetly and effectively "Calvary."

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An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this receipt, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y. 13 1yr

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—In the decease of George Barker, who died at Pembroke last week, a name becomes extinct in that town which has been prominent in the locality since 1628, when the first settlers of that name landed on these shores.

—It is said that J. Malcolm Forbes of Milton has offered $150,000 for the celebrated colt Arion, which has made a record of 2.10 3-4.

—The people of Wollaston have decided they would rather have their old postal system continued than to have free delivery from the Quincy office; consequently a new post-master has been appointed.

—In Pembroke, last week, six people were buried who had passed the age of three score years and ten.

—The increase in population of Malden in ten years has been 15,000 and the increase in valuation $8,000,000.

—Parties have been flooding Fitchburg with counterfeit five-dollar bills.

—Jacobs' pond in West Norwell is said to be the best pickerel pond in the state. Over one hundred fish were taken from it one day last week.

—The shoe business of Geo. H. Burt & Co. which was moved from Randolph to Avon will soon be returned to Randolph.

—The father of representative James F. Burke was buried at West Quincy last Sunday. He had reached the age of 77 years.

—Fifteen tramps without purse or scrip were harbored one night last week at the Easton alms-house.

—The steamer William Harrison of the Nantasket Beach line has been sold to parties at Niagara Falls, and will be taken to that place early in the spring via the Welland Canal.

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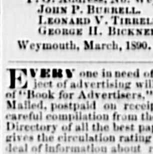

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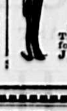

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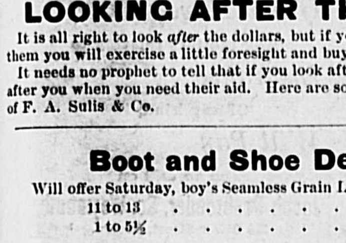

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CHAPTER II.

The door opened to admit Miss Ruby Armstrong.

The doctor went away without ceremony, and Hannah picked up the dollar bill he had left under the ironing stand. "There's good folks in the world," she said to herself; "folks that makes us believe in God's heaven, in love and justice and mercy, when the world is all stony and our feet are bleedin' along the rough ground. Bless that fat old doctor, he's got a heart as big as an ox. This bill will help toward half a ton of coal to keep the old man warm," and she tucked it into the family Bible on the shelf, where many another from the same source had before been hidden.

The morning was getting on, and Hannah's work was not yet half done. So she turned again to her toil, bending her spare form until every muscle and sinew was brought into play in the concentration of what she had to do. She put forth vital energy and was a "terrible worker," as Miss Ruby Armstrong truly called her. When the town clock struck twelve the backbone of her labor had been broken. Happily Mr. Rand's luncheon in the middle of the day consisted of a simple bowl of bread and milk and did not demand even a cup of tea. But Hannah brewed herself a cup, and of the strongest. She smoothed her black hair back with both her hands as she sat down by her ironing table to rest and wiped the big beads of perspiration from her forehead.

A nature like Hannah's finds a dangerous backstay in tea, and when she had swallowed two cups she felt strong again, like Samson when his hair had grown. She made ready the tray for her old man, as she called him, and tapped lightly at the parlor door. The summons came at once, and Hannah, as she passed within, seemed to have entered another sphere. Here in this large, low ceiled room, with its simple rustic furnishings dignified by a case of rare old books, the still air of congenial studies seemed to brood. The very daylight was different as it fell in through the windows on the garden side, where in a budding apple tree a robin was gurgling out a few notes with the nipping wind blowing awry the orange feathers on its breast.

In the streak of sunshine that fell across the faded ingrain carpets and the writing table covered with books and papers sat the old man, tall and spare and still unbent, though nailed to his easy chair. A few spare white locks escaped from under a velvet skull cap and were scattered over a broad forehead, with those projections over the eyes that indicate acute perceptions and long powers of thought. The whole expression of the face was sweet and tranquil, and the soft brown eyes were peculiarly benignant. His linen was spotlessly clean, but the dressing gown in which he was enveloped was well patched and darned, and the cloth slippers also showed signs of Hannah's deft mending. But he wore a gold watch and chain, and his handkerchief was white and dainty. His beard and hair were well trimmed, and though one hand was practically helpless the nails were attended to with scrupulous care. Not one of the gentlemanlike habits of his better days had been neglected. He had never been a slovenly bookworm, and the habits of order and personal purity were deeply ingrained. Even his writing table and books showed the refined neatness of a cultivated woman, and a pink hyacinth in its glass added a bit of color as it stood there expanding in the gleam of sunshine. Hannah laid aside newspapers and put the luncheon tray before him with a certain air of deference, as if it were her pride and privilege to serve the old man.

"I never did see anything so cute as that there robin," said she, calling up a smile to her brown face that made it attractive. "It's that same sly old bird that gets here first every year before any of the others come along, and always sings before your window. I don't believe there's another spring bird in town, but your old friend has found you out and is giving you a concert almost before the first dandelion has popped above ground."

"I give the fellow my dinner crumbs," said the old man, "and he knows where he is likely to get fed; that's the reason he comes sneaking 'round here with his cheery little twitter. You know, Hannah, some wise man has said there are only two great passions in nature—love and hunger—and birds can feel them just as we do."

"Well, I didn't know he come from a selfish motive," said Hannah, who had begun to freshen the fire in the stove; "I thought it did him good to get 'round into your sunshine, as it does most folks."

All the fine wrinkles in the old man's face filled with light and his eyes glowed softly. He loved a little flattery from Hannah because she never flattered any one else, and the delicacy of her praise and affection, considering their peculiar relations, made the old man think better of human nature, though he was never inclined to think very ill of it in spite of all his losses and crosses. He philosophized on most things not bitterly, but in the spirit of Montaigne or Charles Lamb, with a mildly sarcastic smile on his lips and soft relentings in his soul.

"Hannah," said he, turning about as far as his useless, paralyzed neck would let him, "do you ever have days, especially in the spring, when the thoughts go on simmering in your brain until you feel as if you must write them down?"

"No, I don't," said she curtly; "but there are times when the same dull thoughts go grindin' round and round in my head until I feel as if I must go out in the lot and scream bloody murder. But I ain't no hand at writin'; I didn't even learn to spell when I was little, and I'd rather do a day's washin' than get up a letter."

"But when you have read something, Hannah, that sets your mind to work."

"Oh, I ain't no hand to read, Mr. Rand, and I never was. I had only poor chances and no schoolin' to speak of. I'm often shamed by Dick and Sybil because they know things I can't no way get into my head. Why, I'd rather clean house a week than study over them big black books of your's an hour. I couldn't make out the meanin' of the long words no way. I can read the Bible sometimes when I'm tired. Not that I understand it all, but the old book opens of itself to some of the most soothin' of the Psalms or to the Sermon on the Mount, and I don't think what the words mean. Comfort flows into all my bones, and my heart is eased of its load and I feel rested and refreshed. But I've got the poorest head to understand book learnin', and I can't even read them novels Sybil brings home from the library. They'se all stuff and nonsense. What's the use of makin' up stories out of your head that ain't true and never could have happened, when there are things the most wonderful, unaccountable, strange, sad, joyful and tragical happening all the time right around us—things that if they were written down in a book would never be believed because they are so much beyond anything them fiddle faddle novel writers can think up. It's my novel to watch folks and see how they live and die, lie and steal, and overreach and are overreached; to see how mean they are and how generous, to see how goodness breaks out like the sun and wickedness comes to light unbeknown. My book is the folks right round, their sayings and doings, love and hate and queerness and tears and laughter. I wish I could get some of the other kind of learnin' in my head, but I can't, and I'm near distracted when I try to help Dick at night with his sums and find my brain go buzzing and humming as if a swarm of bees had just lit down in it."

"I wish I could help Dick," said the old man with a gentle sigh; "but I've a worse head for figures than you have, Hannah, and I'm afraid I never could teach anything useful or practical. My delight is to follow out odd trains of thought, to chase them into corners, up and down in all their twistings and twinings. Did you ever hear of one Thomas Carlyle, Hannah?"

"I don't believe I ever did," said Hannah, "unless he was one of them old fellows whose books you gave Dick to read."

"No, no, Hannah, he was a modern, a wonderful chap, I can tell you, for he pricked more bubbles and showed up more shams in his time than any other man. He wrote a book, Hannah, on the philosophy of clothes, and I've been reading it this morning, and was tempted to try and write a little piece of my own, not in imitation of Carlyle's style of writing, for that would be presumptuous, but just to catch the overflow of my own thoughts and fancies. Sit down and rest for five minutes, Hannah, I would like to read it to you to see what you think of it."

Hannah sat down uneasily on the edge of a chair, and the old man cleared his voice and took up a sheet of paper from the table before him and read the following fragment:

"Oh, you little viper self, you miscreated devil! How to live with you on decent terms I know not, seeing that to live without you I cannot and there is little hope of your amendment. Oh, the tricks you play me, the mean, wretched turns, the illusions you cherish, the false hopes you raise! Your vanity is without bounds, and when you have done a mean act you come fawning with low and base excuses. Who can count your subterfuges, your cunning tricks and turns? You are as sensitive and weak as a woman and as foolish as a child. You poor, ugly monster; I cannot hate you, I ought not to love you, for we must live together and rub along through the world as best we can. I try to improve you morally, you know I do. I starve you on a poor diet, and feed you on the hard, dry bread of philosophy washed down with tears of penitence, but I cannot change your nature. You come up always the same."

"Well, what do you think of it, Hannah?" said the old man, spying on her over the top of his spectacles.

"I don't think much of it," said Hannah discontentedly, "that is if I sense it right. You know you ain't a selfish man, and why should you be writin' lies about yourself? If that's the way your friend Carlyle goes on I don't take much stock in him."

The old man's mouth puckered shrewdly. He liked Hannah's spiciness and thought she had a streak of genius in her. "What a terrible critic you would make, Hannah. You would not leave the poor authors a shred of vanity to cover their nakedness."

"I should like," said Hannah grimly, "to make them novelists hop like a hen on a hot griddle—them that flood the country with sentimental stuff out of their own heads when the world is all red hot with reality—suffering and tears and groans and poverty and wickedness and sin. It makes me mad that folks can't write God's truth if they must write at all."

She went out of the old man's room conscious that she had been rather rude toward his literary aspirations, but she did not hear him chuckling softly to himself at the amusement Hannah's talk had afforded him.

Now it was time to fold Judge Rivers' shirts and Mrs. Price's baby linen and pack them in the basket covered with a dainty blue mosquito netting for Dick to take home when he returned from his work. When the kitchen was all cleaned up, the ironing table set back, the clotheshorse put away, the irons placed in a row on the pantry shelf, Hannah smoothed her hair and put on a clean apron for the afternoon rest. The April sunshine was coming in at her western window, making a warm, ruddy splash on the plastered wall. Hannah drew her rocking chair and little work table into the sunny corner, for rest did not mean idleness to her. She had a pair of Dick's trousers to patch, revealing a complicated hole, six cornered and jagged, that seemed almost as formidable to Hannah as a problem in Euclid. She was just wrinkling her forehead over the task of trying to fill this aching void with a round bit of cloth too small to fit it, when there came a tap on the door, and before she had time to say "Come in" the door opened to admit the plump person of Miss Ruby Armstrong.

Miss Ruby was Hannah's nearest neighbor. She lived in a tiny white cottage with a weedy old garden attached, and kept her sister Jane, who had spells of being demented, when she fancied herself the angel Gabriel and would blow shrill blasts on a tin horn out of the window to inform the benighted neighborhood that the end of the world was at hand. But these spells were not very numerous. She was generally quiet and harmless, and not without quick flashes of sense and insight and a knowledge of what was going on about her that made Ruby feel, as she said at times, very "streaked," as if Jane were bewitched. Moreover, she had intervals of remembering things long past which everybody else had forgotten, and suddenly dragging them out to the light in a eerie, elfish way that gave poor Ruby creeping sensations all the way down her spine.

Ruby never knew what was going on in Jane's mind. The poor old creature would sit whole days together in the sun, in a bed ticking gown, made much in the form of a bag tied around the waist with a string, crooning a senseless little song and trying to catch imaginary feathers she saw floating in the air. Then she would fix her strange eyes on her sister and bring out something from the depths of her incoherent thoughts that made the blood run cold.

She was never violent, and at times would take to her bed and sleep for days curled up like a dormouse, when again she did not sleep a wink for a week, but wandered about at night, making a little, low, feeble wail like a lost child. She had a way of purloining small articles and hiding them, and of bringing them out in unexpected moments much to her sister's surprise. Ruby never crossed her in anything except to keep matches out of her way lest she should set herself on fire. So she went and came, muttering to herself or singing eerily, as she pleased. At times she would pull out the old girlish finery she kept in her bureau drawers, and laying off the bedtick would array herself fantastically in a great scoop bonnet and a big flowered shawl, and with a bead bag on her arm would go to visit some of the near neighbors, who always treated her kindly and gave her food.

Jane's insanity was of so mild a type it did not trouble Ruby much, but there were other things quite apart from her peculiar household and haphazard ways of getting along that caused her to take dark views of the world and society. These were principally the homeless village cats and the ill treatment of horses, and in fact of all dumb animals by brutal men and thoughtless boys. The grasshopper was not so great a burden, but when a mangy, half starved kitten with a sore on its hind leg came under Miss Ruby's observation she lost faith in the Providential government of the world and felt that the powers of evil were reveling much as they pleased. One such waif and stray had been cherished and reared by her and had now become as sacred in the Armstrong house as an old Egyptian cat divinity. Any benighted creature in Littlefield who did not know and admire the virtues of the great tortoise shell Crumpet was immediately crossed off Miss Ruby's books.

Miss Ruby was stout—of that soft, comfortable kind of stoutness that easily rolls itself into a ball on a sofa and falls into a catnap on the slightest provocation. Even early in the morning she was always slightly yawning behind her plump hand, as if just aroused from forty winks. She kept no maid, and her little house and untidy garden went along in an accidental, lazy fashion peculiar to herself. There did not seem to be regular meals in Ruby's house. She ate when she felt like eating, and so did her old sister Jane. But there was one thing in which Ruby Armstrong was a perfect adept, and that was the rearing of house plants. Her winter windows were always filled with the loveliest roses and geraniums, and when she had all the flowers she wanted in little pots and tubs and cracked bowls she could live all day on a few prunes, a dry cracker, a cup of tea and an egg.

Now, when Ruby knocked at Hannah's door Hannah at once recognized it as a pessimistic knock, and knew something had gone wrong with the Littlefield cats. She made haste to welcome her visitor, giving her the rocking chair by the sunny window, into which Ruby sank with a big sigh. She threw off her three shawls and a jacket, for Ruby needed a deal of bundling in chilly weather, and let the little woolen hood called a fascinator fall off her back hair. Over this she had tied a lace scarf. She had brought with her a glass of clear red currant jelly.

"It's for Mr. Rand," said she, putting it down on the table. "I thought it might relish in this dry time between hay and grass."

"So it will," said Hannah, and then she added, after a moment's pause, as she snipped away with the shears, "I should like to send your sister Jane one of my fresh apple pies. The joke of it is there ain't a mite of apple in it. It's made of soaked cracker and lime juice, but you can't hardly tell the difference."

Hannah put by her work, and stepping into the pantry brought forth a nice flaky pie, which she slipped off the plate and pinned in a clean towel.

"You needn't be so proud," said Ruby, with a little flush, "as to think I brought in the jel hoping for a return."

"Oh, I know you didn't," said Hannah; "but you must remember it's blessed to give as well as to receive. Things ought not to be all on one side."

"I guess I do look kind of crooked out of my eyes today," said Ruby with a sigh. "The awful wickedness of this world seems to weigh on me like a mountain. I was walking up Sprint's hill yesterday afternoon, where they are mending the road, and there was a burly Irishman with a poor old rackabones of a horse harnessed to a heavy cart, loaded down with dirt and stone, and he had got into a hole, and the old horse was trying to pull out; and, oh, it was pitiful to see how he straightened himself like a string, and panted and tugged till his knees bent under him, while that brute of a man laid on the blows to make him draw what he couldn't no way draw. So I stopped, and I looked awful, I know I did, and I pointed my umbrel straight at him, and says I solemn as ever I could, 'Have you got a soul?'

"He took off his old cap and scratched his head and kind of grinned. Says he, 'I dunno.' 'Well,' says I, 'if you had you'd blush for shame for your cruelty to that poor old horse.' Then he grinned again and pretended to be awfully polite. 'Why, mum,' says he, 'do you call that hoss old? He's one of the finest hosses in Littlefield, and he ain't half as old as you be.'"

Hannah gave a little spasmodic laugh as she bent over Dick's trousers, then checked herself suddenly. "It was shameful, downright shameful, Ruby. But what did you do? You certainly would not allow that brute of a man to go unpunished?"

"I went straight to the selectmen sitting there in the town hall," said Miss Ruby severely, "and laid the case before them, and I asked them if this was a civilized, enlightened, Christian country and if there wasn't any redress. I told them, too, how the boys come nights and mewed round our house like sick cats, dressed up in white sheets to pretend they're ghosts, and I asked for protection; and all the men they seemed suddenly to be taken with a coughing fit, and I thought they were all coming down with the grip.

"And that fat old Dr. Buskirk was more polite, but, says he, Miss Ruby we haven't any jurisdiction in these cases unless you can bring witnesses. So I walked home without getting any satisfaction, and I found," said Ruby, with a sob in her voice, "that our big tortoise shell Crumpet, that creature we had every confidence in, so well brought up as he had been, had caught a little young sparrow in the cherry tree and was eating it on our very doorstep. Oh, then Mis' Fearing, I did feel that the whole earth groaneth and travaileth together; all things turned black before my eyes. But when I reflected on the way cats are treated in this town, how they are starved and chased and shot at by wicked boys, I couldn't wonder that Crumpet's morals had become corrupted.

"And do you know, Hannah," she went on, "I mean to leave what little money I die possessed of, if Jane goes before me, to a kind of cat's hospital. I'm going to give our house for it, and have a little graveyard in back where the garden patch is so that they may be buried decently. Wouldn't you like to join a society for the protection of cats and sick kittens, and perhaps we might do something for old, wornout horses."

"I don't believe I should," said Hannah slowly, as she drew out a long thread. "I know there's brutes that abuse dumb creatures and I abhor their cruelty, but I guess, Ruby, if we protected cats the town would be overrun and there would be no sleeping at night. As long as there's ignorant folks that long for teachin', and poor children that can't get it, and miserable babies that oughtn't never to have been born, and neglected old people, and folks out of work too proud to beg, and hard worked women and farmers' wives, and sick folks that need necessaries I guess I must give most of my pity and sympathy to them. I know you mean well, Ruby, and I respect your feelin's. I wouldn't never laugh and think it's just an old maid's notion with you, this love of dumb creatures."

"It was always my way," said Ruby, "to take up with the weakest, and there aint anything weaker or more unprotected than a cat, unless it's the bird that fights with the squirrels when they're tryin' to drive the birds away from my cherries that they may gobble all the fruit themselves. The Bible, Hannah, don't have a word to say about cats, though it tells us not to muzzle the ox when he treads out the corn. But there's not a word about overloading horses, except it be that a merciful man is merciful to his beast; but that most likely refers to the ass or donkey."

"If I was you," said Hannah, "I wouldn't leave my property to the cats. When you're dead and gone there won't be nobody left in this town to feel about dumb beasts as you do, and your will won't be carried out. I should rather leave the place for a lodging house for tramps, where they could get a bath and a meal and work it out sawing wood, or I would make it into a hospital for sick babies."

"Dunno," said Ruby, nursing her chin in her hand. "There'll be always them that'll take care of the babies, and as for the tramps I haven't the horror of dirt you have. Dirt is the poor man's undershirt, and I can't see as it does him much good to souse him in a tub of water and then let him go and wallow in the next puddle he comes to. There don't seem to be nothing I want to do with my money but to give it to the abused, homeless cats, and the overworked, galled, sore backed horses."

[*Continued next week.*]

Norfolk Club. Secretary's Report, January 23, 1892.

The Norfolk Club was organized in March, 1884, and after eight years of growth we find it strong and vigorous, with a large membership, unabated interest and steadfast in its adherence to the great principles of the Republican party. Temporary defeats have not daunted it; no dissensions have found encouragement within its ranks, and it claims a membership as loyal and consistent as any similar organization in the land. The executive committee has labored earnestly for the best interests of the club, and if not always successful in obtaining speakers of national reputation, political questions have been ably discussed around our board and much has been done for the entertainment of members.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 1892.

Question.—What is the latest from the electric railroad? Answer.—"All quiet on the Potomac."

Henry Cabot Lodge made a really brilliant and exhaustive speech, in the national House last Monday, upon the rules governing that body. Such efforts set Mr. Lodge a long way on his road to the Senate. Will he succeed Mr. Dawes?

The skaters are jubilant. Good ice and strong. Everything in favor of perfect sport but the presence of the moon, who will not deign to show her smiling face for some days, February 5th being the time arranged for her first quarter's appearance.

King Frost brought glowing cheeks this week to all who braved exposure. The thermometer registered very near zero on Tuesday night, but the mercury rose a few degrees on Wednesday morning, and has since been considerably higher, although steadily cold. The ice men appear cheerful.

One of the conundrums of the week.—Was it the "wicked democrats" who contributed the anonymous $1,500 to the late campaign fund of the prohibition party, or was it some philanthropist like Henry H. Faxon, but who was so modest that he could not bear that the world should know of his generosity?

A subject for study between now and the next Town-meeting.—How can we save money and make the taxes lower?

A "cheese-paring" policy might do it but it is a silly method to scale down all appropriations by an even per cent. The part of wisdom would be to entirely cut off some expenses and reduce others while not disturbing those departments where a reduction would mean serious impairment of efficiency.

Very easy to talk, you say, but just how shall we do it?

That is what we urge you to give your thought and study to. It can be accomplished.

"Old Braintree."

In the article on the last page, "The Good Old Days," by the term "Old Braintree" is meant the territory of the original town of Braintree, including the present towns of Braintree, Quincy, Randolph and Holbrook.

The Proposed Amendment.

The proposed amendment to the Federal constitution providing for the election of United States Senators by the people instead of by the state legislatures, is exciting much comment both for and against.

The one great point in its favor is that state legislatures have been bought in the past and may be in the future but it is impossible to buy the people of a state, and the millionare senator with more money than brains would be a thing of the past.

Chile or Chili.

In answer to questions received as to why we spell Chile with the "e" instead of the "i" we will say that the "e" is the correct form. We quote the reply of the Boston Transcript to a similar inquiry:

"Bering and Chile are the official forms of the two names. The "h" in Behring never had any right there; the explorer spelled his name without it, and the present form is a correction of a long-standing mistake. Chile is the form used by the Chileans themselves."

Shall the Druggists have Licenses?

It is understood that there will be an article in the town warrant (by petition) to ascertain the will of the voters upon the question of granting licenses of the sixth class to druggists.

This cannot be voted upon separately upon the Australian ballot but if the town votes "no license" upon the general question, the matter of druggists' licenses can be reached under an article in the warrant for that purpose.

Weymouth is a Healthy Town.

Through the kindness of John A. Raymond, Town Clerk, we are enabled to give a few vital statistics of the town in advance of the coming schedule:

Whole number of births in 1891, 244; an excess of 19 over the year 1890.

Number of deaths, 182: a decrease of 21 from the previous year. Excess of births over deaths, 52; a gain of 30 from the previous year.

Whole number of marriages, 131; a gain of 6 from 1890.

The death rate computed from the above shows a little less than 13 to the thousand, which is considerably below the average for the state and is an indication that Weymouth is a very healthy town in which to live.

The People feel Satisfaction.

Those politicians and other interested parties who hoped for a real strife as the outcome of the Chilean embroglio are disappointed by the news of the last few days. Chile, it appears, is willing to do almost anything that the United States may reasonably ask to effect a renewal of friendly relations and has withdrawn the offensive "Matta" letter and the request for the removal of Minister Eagan.

Now that the matter has assumed this shape it is to be hoped that Uncle Sam will be as moderate in his demands as a just defence of the dignity of the nation will permit, and not bear too hardly upon a country that has but just escaped from the toils of a would-be dictator.

It has been evident all through the controversy that the American people did not desire war, and general satisfaction will be felt that we are not to be forced into the position of bullying a nation of inferior size and strength.

Sensible people have not at any time really feared that there would be a war if proper efforts were made to avert it. Their only fear was that if the matter was acted upon by Congress, political exigencies might lead the two parties to vie with each other in their haste to resent insult to our flag or our sailor's uniforms.

New England's Shoe Business.

Will the shoe trade follow the iron trade to the central and western states? Is a question which is agitating the minds of those most interested in New England's industries. From the earliest days of the shoe trade in this country its home has been in the New England states. Here a large part of the leather has been finished even if not always tanned here. Here most of shoe machinery has been made and most of the operatives of the country trained in their work, and the larger part of the footwear of the country has been the product of New England's capital and New England's skilled labor. For the last ten years there has been a gradual change in this state of affairs, and factories have sprung up all through the Western and Central states until we see Chicago- and other western-made goods on the shelves and counters of the leading stores, not only of the West, but even in the East.

We trust we are not taking a pessimistic view of the situation, but when we realize that the larger part of the hides are raised in the West, and but very little of the bark used for tanning purposes is grown east of the Hudson river it would seem that a natural adjustment of these matters must result in the end in our shoes being made where the leather is, just as nails can be made cheapest where coal and iron are mined.

Statistics for 1891 show that this has already been the tendency to quite an extent. For the year just closed there were put in operation, outside of New England, one hundred and sixty-eight shoe factories. A fair estimate to place on the capacity of these factories would be twenty-five cases per day each, or a total of 1,200,000 cases for the year, or 14,400,000 pairs.

The last decade saw a growth of nearly 17 per cent. in the population of the country, but no corresponding growth in the shoe industry of New England, thus indicating that the shoes for this new population are being made elsewhere. Shall we be able to even hold the trade we now have against the superior natural advantages of other localities for this line of business?

A Rare Occurrence.

Only twice in the history of the two hundred and twelve lodges of Odd Fellows in in this state have the officers of a subordinate lodge been installed by the officers of the grand lodge in a body; once at Commonwealth lodge, Boston, of which the present Grand Master is a member; and last Monday evening at Wildey lodge, 21, South Weymouth, to which the present Grand Warden, Louis A. Cook, belongs.

Among the two hundred or more present at the exercises were D. D. G. M., Waldo W. Hersey of Hingham and D. D. G. M., Henry A. Thomas, and Past Grand Master Kavanagh of Lynn. There were sixty-five Past Grands in the audience.

Delegations were present from Old Colony lodge of Hingham, North River lodge of Rockland, and Cohasset lodge of Cohasset.

Previous to the installation the degree staff conferred the third degree upon three candidates.

The officers installed were as follows: N. G., C. H. Clapp; V. G., E. N. Mayburry; R. S., A. E. Cushing; P. S., J. L. Curtis; T., E. J. Pitcher; W., W. H. Thayer; C., G. B. Chessman; O. G. B. Burbank; I. G., C. G. Stowell; R. S. N. G., F. F. Bullock; L. S. N. G., G. Doble; R. S. V. G., F. H. Richards; L. S. V. G., A. F. Bullock; R. S. S., H. A. Bass; L. S. S., C. Thayer; C., G. B. Rogers.

A collation was served in Odd Fellows hall by caterer Alvah Raymond, to which ample justice was done. Through clouds of fragrant smoke the Grand Master congratulated the members of Wildey lodge upon the excellent work which they were doing, declaring it unsurpassed by that of any other lodge in this jurisdiction. He spoke of the rapid incaease in membership of the order in this state buring the past six months, the total number belonging in Dec., 1891, being 43,000. He claimed that the church is supplemented by the work of the I. O. O. F. and is in no way antagonistic to it, but reaches some whom the church cannot.

Speeches were also made by other grand officers and by D. D. G. Masters Hersey and Thomas.

Grand Warden Cook was received with great applause and in the course of his remarks alluded to the fact that during his term as N. G., in 1887, when the grand officers last visited the lodge the then principal of the South High school was admitted to membership, and that on this occasion the present incumbent of that position was received into full connection.

The speech of D. D. G. M. Thomas roused the audience to the highest pith of enthusiasm Long after midnight the inhabitants of South Weymouth were awakened by the "hurrying hoof-beats" of the steeds conveying to their homes visiting brothers from adjacent villages.

Henry Hill Buried at Forest Hills.

The following brief account of the illness and funeral of Mr. Henry Hill was received too late to be added to our obituary notice of last week but will be of interest to his many friends here:

His illness was brief, his mind clear to the last, and his end perfectly peaceful. He died in the sure and certain hope of a glorious resurrection.

His funeral was from the house of Mr. W. G. Douglass of Cambridge, and the services were conducted by Rev. A. C. Thompson, D. D., of Roxbury. Mrs. and Miss Douglass sang "Come Unto Me" and "Rock of Ages" Among other friends in attendance were, Messrs. Joseph S. Ropes, Samuel Johnson, Langdon S. Ward, Wm. Hunt, Geo. P. Reed and W. S. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Stetson, H. C. Richards and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. H. Stetson, Mrs. Claflin, Prof. and Mrs. Geo. H. Palmer, Mrs. Lyman Abbott and Rev. Geo. E. Street who pronounced the benediction at Forest Hills Cemetery.

Grand Closing Concert.

The highly successful Institute Course closes next Friday night with a grand concert by the Beethoven Concert Co., probably the finest and most expensive concert company in Boston. Musical people predict this as the musical treat of the season for Weymouth. The artists are Mr. Chas. N. Allen, the distinguished violinist; Mr. Albert Van Raalte, also violin; Mr. G. B. Van Santvoord, flute; Mr. E. A. Sabin, viola; Miss Georgia Pray, violoncello; Mr. Augustus Ellis, contra basso. The soloist is the well-known Mrs. Humphrey-Allen whose solos will have the specially-arranged orchestral accompaniment of the company.

The Institute Evening Classes.

The Institute evening classes will be held this year at the Institute rooms. The gymnasium will be arranged to accommodate the students. The mechanical drawing class, under Mr. George Watson, will meet on Friday evenings, beginning Feb. 5. The elocution class under Prof. Bickford will meet on Monday evenings, beginning Feb. 8. There are about fifteen names for mechanical drawing, and twenty-five for elocution. Others desiring to join, please send names and address to Mr. F. H. Cowing, secretary of the Institute. These are the only two classes that will be given this year.

Powers and "David Garrick."

Mr. Leland T. Powers in the play "David Garrick" was the attraction at the Institute entertainment last Friday evening. Mr. Powers proved by his wonderful impersonations that he is the finest artist in his line on the public platform. The word to describe it is "marvellous." Mr. J. Herman Loud presided at the organ recital given as the prelude to the entertainment.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this receipt, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y. 13 1yr

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

For the Gazette.

MARGUERY'S LETTER.

BOSTON, Jan. 28, 1892.

The Rev. Lyman Abbott has been making quite a stir by his Lectures on the Evolution of Theology delivered before the Lowell Institute.

I was not able to attend them, for as in all free distributions of tickets, "the crowd" "gets there" while many a would-be appreciative listener is left out. I don't know how many hours people stood in line waiting their turn, but I do know it took more time and patience to get the necessary pasteboards than I possessed. So I only know of these lectures through the rather meagre reports of the daily press, which no doubt you have seen, also; but what I wanted to notice was the somewhat mournful comments and plaints of certain remonstrants who have also aired their opinions in the newspapers. I am not prepared to enter into controversy on the subject, only to tell a little story to those of my readers who may be a bit anxious lest the Church and Christianity will suffer by Dr. Abbott's liberal criticisms of prevailing theological opinions.

It was about the time of the famous text-book controversy here, when certain parties were searching through the musty records of history for telling points against the Romish Church.

A very good-natured and liberal Roman Catholic, who had been reading one of the bitterest of invectives against his church, said to me, smiling: "Your people seem to be stirring up the dry bones pretty effectually, but I guess the Church can stand it if they can." And it strikes me that 'tis a pretty poor system of theology that can't bear the electric light of the 19th century.

In the course of his remarks Dr. Abbott has spoken of the beauty of some points in the old Hebrew faith, while deprecating that the rigidity of some of its tenets was found in the Christian religion. "Scratch a Christian and you find a Jew," he says. Whether this be right or wrong 'tis something about the Jews I wish to say. By the Jews I do not mean the hordes of paupers Christian Europe is driving from its inhospitable shores, but a class of our citizens who form a portion of the best and most industrious inhabitants of our large towns and cities. You never find them embroiled in political or other strife. They make no unnecessary trouble about their peculiar religious rights, and they are the embodiment of Christian Charity though a race that deny Jesus of Nazareth.

The more learned—and they possess some rare scholars, artists, musicians—are as liberal in their faith as in their practice. I was talking one day with a noted Rabbi, whose name you would recognize if I gave it,— about the relations of the Hebrews to their Christian neighbors. He told me that the Hebrews were also going forward and he one day looked for a faith that should be neither Christian nor Hebrew but should have the best points of both religions. It is very much the fashion to sneer at the Jews, but theirs is an aristocratic faith and one of their dislikes to our Master is that He was the lowly Carpenter of Nazareth. In trade, we call them sharp and cunning; but many a Christian could give them points in both, and take the trick every time, whose creed is love to his neighbor instead of "an eye for an eye, a tooth for a tooth." With all the cruelty and persecution of the ages, which Christianity has piled upon them in retaliation for the tragedy of Calvary, they are a distinctive class, and preserve as sacred and holy the belief and traditions of their fathers.

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A more than usually attractive and brilliant occasion was the "Artists' Night" of the Woman's Press Club. A paper was read by Mr. Frazer of the Century Co., who displayed some very fine sketches, and after supper some very funny stories were related by authors and artists. They all touched more or less upon the relation of illustrators and writers. Miss Edith Robinson, who is a contributor to the Century and other magazines, told one which showed very vividly that artists do not, as writers are always complaining, read MSS. given them to illustrate.

Miss Robinson said, "In one of my stories the heroine was a very old woman. I was careful to say she was entirely bald. When the story came out, judge of my consternation when I found the artist had given her a luxuriant crop of hair! In another the wedding ring played a prominent part, in fact was the pivot on which the story turned; and the artist made the lovely heroine wear it on her right hand!"

Another story told by one of the guests was as follows:—"One of the juvenile magazines was publishing a set of dog stories and sent a MSS. to a prominent artist. He, wishing to have a realistic sketch, got in some puppies for models. Being called away for a few moments he returned to find the dogs had devoured the manuscript."

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You wonder why everybody is talking about A Lost Paradise? Go and see it and you'll wonder no more, for it is an intensely fascinating play.

It is a very significant sign of the times when a play of this kind not only attracts large but fashionable audiences, for it shows how deeply people are interested in this thoroughly realistic drama, no matter what may be their stations in life. To give the plot of a play is to take away a great part of the anticipated pleasure; but there can be no harm in speaking of one or two of the scenes which electrify the audience. Notably the one where the manufacturer pleads with his men not to strike as it will bring him loss and perhaps entail suffering on his darling daughter, who clothed in beautiful garments stands before them. And then the old workman, bowed with his fifty years of toil, brings from the dusty workroom *his* daughter, pale and sickly, her form pinched and bent with labor too difficult for one of her years, and all for the pittance earned, too slight to nourish the delicate frame; and 'tis for her and hundreds like her the men demand a little larger compensation for their work. 'Tis a startling scene and might be true to life.

In another scene in the factory one hears the whir and humming of the numerous machines. At last the great doors are rolled back, and the huge engine is seen with its powerful parts in motion, propelling the hundreds of machines below. The acting of Carrie Turner, as the manufacturer's daughter, Marguerite, is worthy of all praise. Every one remembers her grace in Niobe, and the same charm is noticeable in her Marguerite. She is a living picture of sweet, unconscious girlhood, shielded from life's rough experiences, until Love comes, and awakens the sleeping soul.

There is a comedy element to relieve the shadows of what might be thought a sombre picture of life and society, and of course all ends well.

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Manager Field has done wisely to revive the Shaughran at the Museum as the crowded houses attest. It was always a great drawing card when Boucicault played the ubiquitous Con, in which part, by the way, George Wilson has made an instantaneous hit, while Miriam O'Leary is an ideal Moya. The piece is superbly staged and nothing is wanting to preserve the local color and truth of each picture. It will run until further notice.

MARGUERY.

We have a nice lot of Cuts for Advertisers use at a very small charge. Call and see them.

For severe colds, Johnson's Anodyne Liniment surely excels any remedy we ever used.

Marriages and Deaths.

DEATHS.

In Weymouth, Jan. 22, William W. Wildes, aged 64 yrs. 9 mos.

In South Weymouth, Jan. 22, Mary E., wife of D. N. Wade, aged 69 yrs. 4 mos. 15 days.

In East Weymouth, Jan. 24, Beatrice A., child of Philip and Mary A. McLaughlin, aged 2 mos.

In Weymouth, Jan. 27, Mary, wife of Thomas Colnan, aged 35 yrs.

The Wanderer's Gossip.

"There is not the interest taken in our Improvement Societies that there might be." This remark, made to me by one of the workers in the cause of improvement, leads me to say a few words in favor of these societies, of which there are a number in the town of Weymouth.

In some respects the Improvement Society is a prosy organization and lacks the life and vim which young men and women could give it. But few people realize the value to the town of the work of these organizations.

The principal workers are men past middle age, while the majority of the business men,—those who have an interest in the town financially, as well as the common interest of public spirit, lend but an indifferent support, except, perhaps, to pay an annual $1 into the treasury. This is very necessary,—the money gives the society a certain life—but with this there should be personal support of ideas and work. The business men are sure to get a good return and a large share of any increase of general prosperity in the town.

Business associations labor under the same difficulty. Many do not realize that this work is a continuous one, made up of a point gained here and another there, with perhaps little to show as results for several years, but all the time making a steady gain in power and influence, till, after a time, the results can be seen while the items that have gone to make up the total can only be discovered by a careful search of the past records.

The men who hold up these organizations, who are willing to sacrifice personal ease to attend meetings—sometimes very dull ones—are few and for the most part are those who are past middle age. The younger business men, as a rule, are not there. They have a right to be elsewhere, perhaps seeking rest or pleasure, but if they could see the necessity of this continual work and realize that "constant dropping wears away the rock" I am sure they would feel it their duty to take an active part.

It is the younger business men of the town who have the most vital interest in these organizations and the benefit will come to them, if to any, in a greater degree than to the older generation, who are on the point of giving up active business by reason of age. Let the young business men of to-day take vigorous hold of all these works or in the years to come they will surely see, and feel by the lightness of their own pocket-books, that in neglecting the public interests of their town they have at the same time sacrificed their own opportunities for material advancement.

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Every where one goes, jokes are heard about the electric railroad. A conversation between a young man and a young lady, to which I was a listener, a short time since, led me to scribble off the following lines as em bodying the sense, or nonsense, of what they said:

THE DRUMMER PLANS A RIDE.

"Will you ride with me next summer
On the new road, the electric rail?
'Twill be ready then,—we'll take a 'hummer'
Through Weymouth town, o'er hill and dale."

"No," said she: "My dear young drummer,
The builders move slower than the snail;
To wait for them means many a summer
And we grown old and sad and pale."

"But *if* they build it," said the drummer,
"Then will you send for me, by mail?
Oh! I am longing for the summer
And that glide on the electric rail!"

"Ah!" she said, "you're a new-comer
And have faith in that electric tale,
But you will WALK with me next summer
There'll be no *rails* o'er hill and dale."

WANDERER.

The Last of the White Family.
Death of Mrs. Sarah W. Glover.

At noon, Tuesday, Mrs. Sarah W. Glover of East Braintree, passed away at the age of 88 years and 3 days. She was the widow of the late Andrew Glover of Roxbury, for whom Glover's Corner was named. Her death was caused by old age, but was hastened by a cold contracted about four weeks ago, since which time she has gradually failed.

Mrs. Glover was the last of the old White family. There were ten brothers and sisters but all have now passed to the "great beyond."

The nearest surviving relatives are two cousins, Hon John E. Sanford of Taunton and Judge Elliot Sanford of New York.

The funeral took place from the family residence today at 12 o'clock, m., Rev. Oliver Huckel, conducting the services. A quartette from Union church choir, consisting of Mrs. Jennie Worster, Miss Alice Blanchard, Mr. E. M. Wight and Mr. J. J. Loud, sang appropriate hymns.

The interment was at Forest Hills Cemetery.

Church Notices.

Under this heading the pastors of *all* the churches are cordially invited to make such announcements of services etc. as they may wish. We only stipulate that such notices to be inserted shall reach us at the least, on Thursday of each week—the day before publication.

TRINITY CHURCH (Weymouth), Rev. William Hyde, rector. Service with sermon next Sunday at 10.30 a. m., subject, "Seen by Angels;" Sunday-school after the morning service.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (East Weymouth).—Rev. Daniel Evans, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school 11.45 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m.; evening service 7 p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (East Weymouth), Rev. A. A. Kidder, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school 12 m.; Epworth League 6 p. m.; evening service at 7.

OLD NORTH CHURCH (Weymouth Heights) Rev. Robert R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Strangers, new comers, all who have no church home are cordially invited to meet with us. Seats for all.

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART (Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Mass at 10.30 a. m. Sunday-school 2.30 p. m.

CHURCH OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER (South Weymouth)—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor; Mass at 9 a. m.

TEMPERANCE HALL (East Weymouth).—Gospel Temperance meeting at 5.30 p. m.

CHURCH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (East Weymouth)—Rev. D. S. Healey pastor. Mass at 10.30 a.m. Sunday-school at 2.30 p. m.; Vespers at 3.30 p. m.

UNITARIAN CHURCH (East Weymouth.) Rev. W. S. Key, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 p. m., subject, "Falling away from the Faith." A cordial invitation extended to all.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (South Weymouth), Rev. W. H. Bolster, pastor. —Morning service 10.30 a. m.; Sunday-school immediately after; Y. P. S. C. E. at 7.30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH (Weymouth), Rev. Wesley L. Smith, pastor.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 5.45 p. m. Union temperance meeting in the auditorium, addressed by the pastors at 7.30. All are cordially invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (North Weymouth) Preaching by the pastor at 2.30 p. m., subject "The New Crusade;" Sunday-school at 1.15 p. m.; Y. P. C. U. at 7 p. m. with special program for Young Peoples' Day.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (Weymouth).—Rev. B. F. Eaton, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. subject, "The New Crusade;" Sunday-school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 p. m.

UNION CHURCH (Weymouth and Braintree). The pastor, Rev. Oliver Huckel, will preach at the morning service at 10.30; evening at 7.30; Christian Endeavor meeting at 6.30. Union Temperance service at the Baptist church at 7.30.

M. E. CHURCH (East Braintree).—George B. Rogers pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 6.45 p. m. by the pastor; Sunday-school at 12 m. All cordially invited to attend.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (South Weymouth) Rev. L. W. Atwood, pastor. Young People's Day, Sunday Jan. 31st, 1892. Order of Service: 1 Organ Voluntary, 2 Lesson from Holy Scriptures, 3 Hymn 5, 4 Prayer, 5 Response, 6 The Y. P. C. U., Miss Eva G. Willis; 7 Why Join the Union, Miss Abbie R. Cushing; 8 Hymn 110, 9 Active Membership, Miss Grace W. Joy; 10 How Can we Make our Meetings More Interesting, Miss Emma L. Hollis; 11 Hymn 66, 12 Relation of the Y. P. C. U. to the Church, Mr. Geo. Stetson, 13 The Effect of the Young People's Societies on Individual Life, Miss Ella Reynolds; 14 Offertory, 15 Hymn 16, 16 Benediction. Evening Service at 6.30 o'clock. Service of song with short address by the pastor.

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BOSTON THEATRES.

BOWDOIN SQUARE THEATRE.—The past week has seen rapid strides in the completion of the new Bowdoin Square Theatre. All the interior staging is down and has been removed. The decorators have the walls nearly finished and on Thursday gave the finishing touches to the boxes and loges. The grand lobby and entrance is practically finished. The upper gallery seats were in position last Saturday and yesterday the work of placing the chairs in the balcony was begun. The hard wood finish is to be set up as fast as 75 skilled carpenters can do it. On the stage everything is confusion. Borders, skies and drops are hung, ready for use, the gas and electric tables are being finished and the dressing rooms are in readiness to receive their furniture. In fact everything is progressing as rapidly as skilled artisans, under capable direction, can be expected and the Bowdoin Square Theatre will be in readiness to receive its guests several days before the date fixed for opening, Feb. 15.

COLUMBIA THEATRE.—Charles Frohman's Boston company, now producing "The Lost Paradise" at the Columbia Theatre, gives evidence of equalling, if not surpassing, the records established by that manager's New York organization in the same play. It is about to enter on its fifth week in Boston, and despite the wretched weather the theatre has been crowded at every performance. A very noticeable feature of the advance sale is the large number of ladies that visit the box office daily to secure seats. One young lady, after buying a number of seats for an evening performance, when approached on the subject, said: "Are you aware that this is leap year?" Excursions to witness "The Lost Paradise" are announced as follows: Wednesday, Plymouth; Thursday, Middleboro, Brockton and New Bedford; Friday, Taunton; and Monday of next week, Lowell; Tuesday, Lawrence; Wednesday, Fitchburg and way stations and Haverhill; Thursday, Wenham, Essex and Ipswich. Feb. 2 will mark the 150th performance of "The Lost Paradise" in New York and Boston, and Manager Charles Frohman, in commemoration of the event, promises an elaborate souvenir to all who attend the Columbia Theatre on that evening.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.—"The White Slave," which has been the attraction at this house this week, is one of those romantic and fascinating dramas which is always sure to attract good audiences. The piece is one of the best of Bartley Campbell's, and this is saying a good deal when it is considered that the late lamented playwright was the author of many that won public recognition and favor. The play has been presented by a powerful company and the scenery, fresh from the painters' brush, has added to the effects materially. The rainstorm scene in the fifth act has been highly commented on and critics have pronounced it one of the best effects seen upon the stage this season. Actual water is used to produced the raindrops. The play has proven all that was expected or could be desired. The management, with the purpose always in view of giving the best attractions available, has secured for next week's engagement the distinguished artists, Mr. Robert Downing and Miss Eugenie Blair. It will be remembered that these two well-known and popular stars played a week of last season at this theatre, and at every performance the house was packed to the doors and the sign, "standing room only," displayed in the lobby. Not only this, but so well pleased were the people that they called the stars before the curtain repeatedly and went so far in the display of their admiration as to demand on every occasion a speech from Mr. Downing. This season has thus far proven the most successful to these stars since they went upon the stage and it is expected that their reception in Boston at this theatre will be a repetition of last season's warm reception, only a little more so, if that is possible. It is not necessary to say that both Mr. Downing and Miss Blair have improved since last seen in Boston. They were then as near the ideal as a reasonable mind could expect, but with them as with all conscientious actors who aim at perfection, they have strengthened some details of their acting. There is every reason to expect that the plays will be admirably presented and as there will be a change at nearly every performance, every lover of tragedy can well be satisfied. The tragedies to be given are "Damon and Pythias," "Virginius," "Julius Cæsar," "The Gladiator," "Katherina and Patruchio," and "Ingomar." Seats are now on sale at the box office for any and all of the performances. Matinees will be given as usual on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. "Christmas Bells," which comes to this theatre a week after next, is a comedy drama of to-day, and one which is found to excite admiration. The piece is the latest stage production of John A. Stevens, and is said to be the best of his many writings. The cast will be exceptionally good.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE.—Julia Marlowe, whose phenomenal dramatic success has arrested the attention of a whole country, and commanded the highest admiration of her admirers, until she is now looked upon as the one most conspicuous star in the field of the legimate drama, will make her annual visit to the Hollis Street Theatre, Boston, opening next Monday evening in "Much Ado About Nothing," which will be her first presentation of this beautiful Shakespearian comedy before a Boston audience. Julia Marlowe is recognized by the best dramatic writers of the country as the unequaled representative of what is grand in the classic literature of the stage.

The public has ceased to look upon the actress as merely an uncommonly pretty and interesting girl, endowed with the fire of genius, and now that fairly well seasoned experience is added to her great talents, she is more firmly established in the affections of everybody—more deeply lodged in their artistic regard. She is without rivalry in the former relation; if she has any in the latter it pales almost to nothingness before the matchless brilliancy of her genius, and the well rounded form of her characterizations. From the very beginning the virtures of her art were so many and so high as to create almost a protest against the evidence of senses.

Miss Marlowe comes to Boston supported by a splendid company all of whom, as her manager says, "are Americans." Her first week's engagement will embrace the following plays: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evening and Saturday matinee, "Much Ado About Nothing;" Thursday and Friday evening, "As You Like It;" Saturday evening, "Twelfth Night."

There is every reason for entertaining the belief that Miss Marlowe's forthcoming engagement will be one of the most important dramatic feasts for the lovers of the classic drama which will come to Boston this season. In Miss Marlowe's company are Robert Taber, the leading male player, Charles B. Hanford, H. A. Weaver, Sr., T. L. Coleman, J. U. Frankcouere, Giles Shine, Dadson Mitchell, Walter Thomas, Wm. Stewart, Edmund Lawrence, Edwin Howard, Frank Colfax, Mrs. Eugenia Linderman, Mrs. M. A. Pennoyer, Miss Maria Knowles, Miss Kitty Wilson and Miss Kate Barnes.

PARK THEATRE.—Mr. Neil Burgess opened his Boston season of the "County Fair" at the Park Theatre, Sept. 3, 1891, with the announcement that the "County Fair" had come to Boston as a permanent attraction for the entire theatrical season. The play is now in its 22d week, over 150 consecutive performances having been given, and seats are selling 8 weeks in advance. No stronger proof can be given of the popularity of Mr. Burgess' pictures of New England life than this. It has been positively decided that Mr. Burgess will not appear in the "County Fair" anywhere in New England outside of the Park Theatre; hence, those of our readers who wish to see the only Aunt Abby, the genuine Cold Molasses, the original Otis Tucker, popular Tim the jockey, the much-talked about Taggs, handsome Joel Bartlett and loving Sallie Greenaway, as well as old Solon Hammerhead, must go to the Park Theatre for there, and there only, will Neil Burgess be seen until the close of the present theatrical season, when he will depart for Europe. Mr. Burgess testified in Court recently that his profits from the "County Fair" were over $100,000 yearly. Certain it is that for the 22 weeks of the Park Theatre season the sale of seats for the "County Fair" has averaged close on to $9,000 weekly. All New England is flocking to see the "County Fair" at the Park Theatre, and to see Aunt Abby once is to become a steady visitor to the Park Theatre.

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The lecturer ably described the noted streets, buildings and personages shown upon the curtain, and at times enlivened his lecture with spicy anecdotes. At the close a series of comical pictures were shown for the amusement of the boys.

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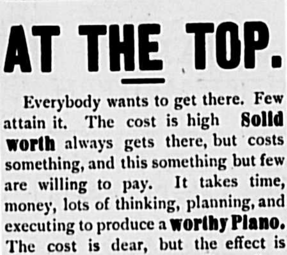

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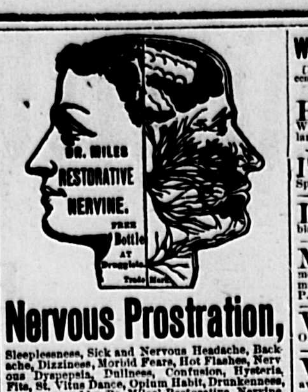

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You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the second Wednesday of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this Citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Weymouth Gazette, published at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

41 43 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

TO the Next-of-Kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

ABBIE L. POOL,

of Weymouth, in said county, minor. Greeting:

Whereas, Clarissa E. Loud, the guardian of said minor, has presented her petition for license to sell at private sale, certain real estate therein specified, of her said ward for investment.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Quincy, in said county, on the second Wednesday of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this Citation by publishing the same once a week for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

41 43 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

TO the Heirs-at-Law, and all other persons interested in the Estate of

RHODA W. GAY,

late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased,

Greeting:

Whereas, Edward P. Paine, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court his petition for license to sell so much of the real estate of said deceased as will raise the sum of seven hundred, thirty-nine dollars and ten cents, for the payment of debts and charges of administration.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the second Wednesday of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this Citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Weymouth Gazette, published at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

41 43 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT

TO the Heirs-at-Law, Next-of-Kin, and all other persons interested in the Estate of

BRIDGET A. COLEMAN,

late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased.

Greeting:

Whereas, a certain instrument, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William J. Coleman and James H. Coleman, both of Weymouth, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bonds, pursuant to said will and statute.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the second Wednesday of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this Citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Weymouth Gazette, printed at said Weymouth, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

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East Braintree, 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A.M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P.M. **Return**, 5.51, 7.16, 7.59, 10.29 A.M.; 1.06, 3.46, 4.46, 5.54, 7.55, 10.09 P.M.

Weymouth, 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A.M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P.M. **Return**, 5.50, 7.12, 7.55, 8.48, 10.26 A.M.; 1.03, 3.43, 4.43, 5.51, 6.01, 7.52, 10.06 P.M.

No. Weymouth, 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A.M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P.M. **Return**, 5.45, 7.07, 7.50, 8.44, 10.21 A.M.; 12.58, 3.39, 4.39, 5.46, 7.48, 10.02 P.M.

East Weymouth, 5.45, 7.35, 10.05, 11.20 A.M.; 1.15, 2.35, 3.50, 5.10, 5.15, 6.00, 8.15, 11.10 P.M. **Return**, 5.40, 7.02, 7.45, 8.02, 8.40, 10.16 A.M.; 12.54, 3.34, 4.35, 5.40, 5.54, 7.44, 9.58 P.M.

So. Weymouth, 5.45, 8.30, 11.02 A.M.; 2.30, 3.40, 5.30, 6.25, 11.15 P.M. **Return**, 5.46, 6.36, 7.33, 8.28, 10.30 A.M.; 12.44, 4.31, 6.19 P.M.

SO. WEYMOUTH SPECIAL to the Abingtons and Whitman, 6.00 A.M.; 6.38 P.M. RETURN from Whitman, 11.29 P.M.

So. Braintree, 5.45, 6.45, 8.15, 8.17, 8.30, 9.40, 10.05, 11.02, 11.40 A.M.; 12 M.; 12.02, 1.15, 1.55, 2.15, 2.30, 3.12, 3.30, 3.40, 4.18, 4.22, 4.35, 4.42, 5.15, 5.30, 5.33, 6.07, 6.25, 7.10, 7.55, 8.1, 9.10, 10.00, 11.10, 11.15 P.M. **Return**, 5.56, 6.44, 7.24, 7.27, 7.42, 8.26, 8.31, 8.36, 9.05, 9.48, 10.40, 10.45, 11.55 A.M.; 12.27, 12.45, 12.52, 1.29, 2.38, 3.48, 3.55, 4.39, 5.17, 5.22, 5.28, 6.34, 6.56, 7.00, 7.34, 7.55, 8.55, 9.57, 10.14 P.M.

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East Braintree, WEYMOUTH, NORTH WEYMOUTH and EAST WEYMOUTH, 9.15 A.M.; 12.45, 5.45 P.M. **Return**, leave EAST WEYMOUTH 8.51 A.M.; 5.32, 5.45 P.M. NORTH WEYMOUTH 8.56 A.M.; 5.50 P.M. WEYMOUTH, 9.01 A.M.; 5.39, 5.55 P.M. EAST BRAINTREE, 9.04 A.M.; 5.58 P.M.

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South Weymouth Items.

—Beethoven Concert Co. next Friday night in Institute course. Best of the season.

—At the last monthly meeting of the Co-operative Bank, officers were nominated for the ensuing year. The election takes place at the February meeting. A committee was appointed to consider the leasing of rooms for the meetings of the bank and its directors in the building owned by the secretary, Mr. F. W. Howe.

—Wednesday evening, the 20th, about a dozen young people of the Second church made an unexpected call upon Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Bennett at their residence on Pond street, near the railway station. During the festivities of the evening Mr. C. A. Loud, on behalf of the company presented Mr. and Mrs. Bennett with a handsome rocking chair. Mr. Bennett is one of the rising young business men of the provision trade in Boston.

—In Miss Reed's school in the South High school building is a pupil who is a grand-niece of Charlotte Cushman, the celebrated actress.

—The Wednesday Night Club at its last meeting voted unanimously to engage the hall over Stewart and Howe's store as the place of meeting for the ensuing year. February 17, the club will celebrate the tenth anniversary of its organization.

—The firemen of Wards 4 and 5 propose to give an entertainment for the benefit of the companies at Nash's Corner, Lovell's Corner, and South Weymouth village in Fogg's Hall, Feb. 19. Herbert Johnson, late of the Ruggles Street Male Quartette, will probably give the entertainment assisted by the Roumania Quintette Club of which he is manager. Full particulars in these columns later.

—The new sign has been placed again in Columbian Square. It looks much better than before.

—The speech of D. D., H. A. Thomas "took the cake" at the Odd Fellows gathering Monday night.

—It looks now, at time of writing, as if the ice men could cheer up their faces a little.

—Mrs. Melvin Raymond had a tooth extracted last Monday. In the evening the gum commenced to bleed to such an extent that Dr. Tower was called and finally stopped the bleeding.

—The gathering at Odd Fellows Hall last Monday night will go into history as one of the best social gatherings the lodge have ever held. It commenced on Monday and closed on Tuesday and it was hard to tell whether they had supper or breakfast.

—The Ladies' Sewing Circle connected with the Blanchard cemetery on Pond Plain is making arrangments for an Antiquarian Supper to be held at the residence of Mr. George O. Paine on Candlemas evening, Feb. 2, for the benefit of said cemetery. The supper will consist of corned beef and vegetables, baked beans, brown bread, Indian pudding, pancakes, and numerous other dishes. After supper the company will be treated to a first-class entertainment. The public are cordially invited. This is a good movement and should fill Mr. Paine's house from celler to roof.

—The Sewing Circle connected with the Universalist society is rehearsing "Seven Old Ladies of Lavender" to be given at an early date.

—The high rate of taxes in this town is talked of by many and we want to know how they can be reduced. We believe that when we can get a board of assessors that will assess the rich in the same proportion that they do the poor, taxes will easily be reduced. What we call poor is a man that owns a little place worth about $1,500 and pays a tax of $25. He is poor because he owns it.

—Mrs. Daniel Wade, who has been very sick the past few weeks, passed away last Friday. The funeral took place last Sunday and the remains were taken to Mt. Hope Cemetery.

—The N. B. Thayer place which has been occupied by Mr. Murry, the absconded wheelwright, has been sold to Joseph Taylor.

—The familiar face of James H. Elwell is not seen on our streets. We understand he has business in Tennessee that calls him away from home.

—The disease known as the grip seems to be on the decline. We know of none that are very sick at the present time.

—An accident occurred here last week that came near proving fatal. As Adolphus P. Pool was feeding the horses that are kept in the barn of Mrs. Ezra Reed by workmen who work in the factories, and while going into the stall to feed a strange horse that came from East Weymouth, one whose vicious habits were not known, he was kicked into the stall and the horse commenced to trample him under his fore feet. Mr. Pool took hold of the halter which enabled him to put his arms about the neck of the horse. He was terribly bruised and his clothes were nearly torn off. Dr. Tower attended him. The next day he was in bed and very sore. It is a miracle that he was not trampled to death as there was no assistance near and he was obliged to fight it out alone.

—The Shakespeare club has resumed its meetings for the season. The first regular meeting was held with Mrs. John S. Fogg Jan. 12, when the first part of King John was read. Mrs. A. S. Loud and Miss J. M. Joslin were elected members. The second part of King John was read at Mrs. Alfred Tirrell's last Tuesday evening. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Josiah Reed Tuesday evening, Feb. 9.

—Don't forget that you can buy the Gazette in Boston, at the O. C. R. R. depot, after 4.15 o'clock Friday afternoons and all day Saturday. tf

—For plum brown bread there is nothing that equals Totman's in flavor and general excellence. A Saturday night supper or a Sunday morning breakfast is not complete without it.

North Weymouth Gleanings.

—Beethoven Concert Co. and Mrs. Humphrey-Allen next Friday night in the Institute course.

—The event of the season has been the Ladies' Sewing Circle fair, held Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. Untiring efforts on the part of the ladies had made the church vestry a thing of beauty and a bazaar of useful and fancy articles. A good audience attended each night's performance, and a liberal patronage was bestowed on the several tables, netting a substantial financial gain, yet the general depression in may circles was materially felt. For Tuesday night an excellent musical programme was rendered by home and East Weymouth talent augmented by the celebrated whistling soloist, Miss Hattie E. Corner. The Hummell and Choristic Quartettes and C. Will Bailey of East Weymouth gained special honor in their fine selections and beautiful rendering of the same. Miss Connor as a whistler, captivated the house, and would be sure of a good audience should she come again. Wednesday night saw equally as good an audience in attendance, and while the entertainment was of a different nature, it was none the less interesting; vocal and instrumental music was given, a poem by Tennyson was illustrated, and finally the farce "A Phenomenon in a Smock Frock," in which Mr. Sowerbury was ably personated by Alvah Bicknell, John Buttercup by Charles Blanchard, Mr. Barker by W. S. Torrey, James Sowerbury, servant, by Bert Binney, Mrs. Barker by Annie Clark and Betsy Chirrup by Lena Oldham.

—G. B. French of Boston has been in town this week.

—The electric light at the corner of Bridge and Lovell streets has not been lighted but once for a week. The town pays for this light whether lighted or not. The electric light company should "get a move on."

—Rev. Philip Moxom of Boston, delivered a lecture in the Universalist church, Wednesday night, his subject was "The Educated Man."

—Mrs. Wilmot Cleverly is recovering from her sickness; Mr. Cleverly is much better, and able to be about.

—Mrs. Fannie Dunbar, who has been staying at B. F. Thomas' for a few weeks, has returned to Quincy.

—John McDonald, foreman at David Ford's, slipped and fell while unloading a wagon the other day, and falling, broke one of his ribs.

—Hiram Thayer has a little girl recovering from typhoid fever.

—Mrs. Helen Barnes is quite sick with the grip.

—While skating on the park the other day, Master Irvin Shaw was run into by a doublerunner, receiving a bad wound in his thigh, which necessitated the taking of several stitches.

—The Hook and Ladder Co. have purchased a new stove to heat the lower room in the engine house.

—The Republican Club has taken the front room in Lemuel Torrey's building on North street, and will occupy it the first of February.

—The question at the Century Club meeting next Friday night will be "Resolved, That it is the duty of the town of Weymouth to establish industrial schools or provide some way for the industrial education of pupils." J. H. Ash takes the affirmative, and Alden Whiting the negative.

—D. M. Kidder is able to be at work again.

—The families which took their last weeks' beans with Totman's plumb brown bread were happy and this week it will be better than ever before.

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—The Y. P. C. U. connected with the Universalist church, will celebrate young people's day next Sunday. The pastor has prepared a special service for the afternoon, and the young people have arranged a very elaborate program for the evening.

—The cedars in and about the village were visited by quite a number of robins on Tuesday and Wednesday. Are they harbingers of a spring near at hand?

Braintree.

—Mrs. Matilda N. Goulland, wife of Louis P. Goulland, an old time music publisher of Boston, died at her late residence, Hollis avenue, Friday evening, after a lingering illness. The funeral was held from her late residence, Monday afternoon, Rev. E. O. Dyer, officiating. The floral tributes were numerous, and included a pillow, inscribed "Mother," from her son, Louis S.; lyre with broken string, from the Elks Club of Boston; sheaf and sickel, from J. B. G. McElroy; wreath of white roses, from conductor friends on the Old Colony; cross of flowers, from Mr. and Mrs. James Dudley, besides numerous other offerings from friends in this town. The Commonwealth Glee Quartette of Boston was present and furnished appropriate music. The remains, enclosed in a rosewood casket, were conveyed to Mt. Wollaston Cemetery, where they were placed in the receiving tomb, to await interment in the spring. Messrs. James Dudley, George Fuller, Henry Hayward and Gerard Russo of the Order of Elks, were the bearers.

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—The regatta committee of the Monatiquot Yacht Club met at the residence of Commodore John Cavanagh, of this town, Monday evening, and made up the list of dates for the coming season.

—The hydrants have been painted.

—The Ladies' Afternoon Whist Club met with Mrs. Fred Morrison, Wednesday afternoon. The first and second prizes were awarded to Miss Hattie Hill and Miss Helen Arnold. The club meets next Wednesday with Mrs. L. W. Morrison.

—The personal property of the late S. W. Hollis will be sold at auction, Monday morning.

—The Ladies' Aid Society met with Mrs. J. Shaw, Wednesday afternoon. It was decided to hold a supper soon to help raise money to pay off the debt on the chapel. The annual meeting for the election of officers will be held Feb. 1, at the residence of Mrs. E. A. Belcher.

—The Christian Endeavor society's sociable was held Wednesday evening in the chapel. The following program was enjoyed by the audience: Piano solo, Miss Mable Morrison; reading, Miss Sarah Shaw; piano solo, Miss Sadie Kelley; song, Automatic Wabblers. The remainder of the evening was pleasantly passed playing games.

—The flock was without a shepherd last Sunday at the Congregational church. A gentleman was engaged to speak, but through some misunderstanding, he did not arrive in time to conduct the service.

—The monthly sewing circle and sociable of the parsonage society, will be held next Wednesday afternoon and evening at the chapel. Gentlemen are invited to tea at 6.30 p. m.

—Monatiquot Lodge, K. of P., worked the third degree on a candidate, Tuesday evening.

South Braintree.

—Rev. W. H. Eaton, D. D., of Massachusetts Baptist Convention, will preach at Odd Fellows hall, Sunday, at 2.30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

—The funeral of Orin W. Trufant was held from his late residence on Franklin street, Friday afternoon, Rev. E. O. Dyer and Rev. Mr. Sisson, officiating. The services were attended by Francis L. Souther Camp 27, S. V., of Quincy. The interment was in the Weymouth Landing cemetery.

—The Braintree Pine Tree Club held its monthly meeting at Odd Fellows hall a week ago last evening. As usual, after the business was transacted, a fine entertainment was given by the following talent: Voluntary on the piano, Mrs. Stone; baritone solo, Mr. Page of Quincy; reading, Miss Bagley; piano duet, Miss Hollis and Miss Full; duet, Messrs. Nye and Page; duet, Mrs. Stone and Mrs. Bullard; piano and clappers, Mr. and Miss Hollis; piano solo, Miss Wright; song, Mrs. G. E. Bullard; reading, Miss Bagley; duet, Misses Annie and Grace Moreland. The next meeting will be held in the north part of the town, Feb. 17.

—An observation party was given Wednesday evening of last week in aid of the M. E. church. The first prize for observation was given to Miss Nellie Crowell. The booby prize, a cabbage, was awarded to Mr. E. A. Fisher.

—Examinations have been held in the public schools this week.

—The steam engine of J. F. Sheppard & Sons has been moved to the Little Pond ice houses, where it will be ready for use as soon as the owners think the ice thick enough. It now measures eight inches.

—Miss Maud Smith of Atlantic, has been visiting Miss Edna Wood.

—The Literary Circle met with Mrs. C. B. Woodsum, Monday evening. Burns' "Cotter's Saturday Night" was read. Mrs. Lillian Foster of Dorchester was the guest of the circle.

—The auditors of the town of Braintree are to have a dinner given to them, Saturday.

—The society of Christian Endeavor is to be re-organized.

—Barnes & Clark have been painting F. P. Lothrop's billiard hall.

—The Coffee Party held in the Town Hall, Friday evening, was not a very great success in regard to the number of people present; in other ways, it was very successful.

—The Loyal Nights and Ladies, held a supper and entertainment in the Odd Fellows hall.

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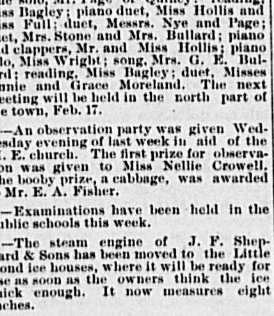

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—District Deputy Grand Warden, Wm. B. Joy and suite of Roxbury, installed the following officers of Safety Lodge, No. 96, N. E. O. P. last Tuesday evening: Warden, C. P. Hunt; vice-warden, Richard Young; sentry, Jacob Dexhimer, Jr.; financial secretary, B. F. Johnson; treasurer, F. M. Drown; chaplain, W. B. Gutterson; guide, C. H. Loring; sentinel, Lorenzo White; trustee, Chas. F. Vaughan. Supper was served after the installation.

—Wm. Garde is in possession of an old and curious coin. It is a cent of the year 1787. On one side are the words "Mind your own business," and 13 links; on the other side a sun-dial, and the words "United States of America." The coin is highly prized by Mr. Garde.

—Jacob Klay is on a visit to relatives in Switzerland.

—Charles G. Sheppard was elected a member of the Norfolk Club at the meeting last Saturday afternoon.

—The Ladies' Village Cemetery Association have elected the following officers: President, Mrs. John E. Hunt; vice-president, Mrs. Chas. T. Crane; secretary, Miss Jane Clapp; treasurer, Mrs. Ella Richards. The association will hold its annual fair the second week in February.

—Superintendent Joseph Cummings of the almshouse has had an attack of pink eye.

—Henry Merluzzo has been ill with the grip the past three weeks, and to add to his misfortune, his horse died last week.

—The regatta committee of the Monatiquot Yacht Club met with Commodore John Cavanagh at his residence on Cedar street, Braintree, Monday evening and they were royally entertained by that gentleman. At the business meeting the following fixtures for 1892 were made: Opening day race, June 1; club race, off Fort Point, July 9; first championship race off Fort Point, July 23; second championship race off Fort Point, Aug. 13; ladies' day, Aug. 16. The committee voted to recommend to the club the sail-area rule for measurement; also, that a mosquito class for boats under 15 feet be added. It was thought inexpedient to have any pennant races this year. The date of the championship sail-off will be announced later.

—Frank Pray has been visiting friends at Providence, R. I.

—Rev. William Hyde of Weymouth was present as a guest last Monday evening at the meeting and dinner of the Episcopalian Club in Hotel Vendome, Boston. The subject for discussion at the meeting was "The Tendency of Modern Church Music," and the essays were illustrated by the singing of a boy choir from Taunton.

—Miss Agnes Hyde of Weymouth reads in Amesbury this week, supported by Mrs. L. J. Child of Boston and other talent.

—Dr. W. L. Roberts is out again after suffering from a second severe attack of the grip.

—A large number from here attended the Odd Fellows installation at South Weymouth, Monday evening.

—Judge James H. Flint is ill with a bronchial trouble.

—Mr. and Mrs. Granville Bowditch entertain the Euchre club at their home this evening.

—Miss Eva Whitmarsh lost a valuable gold watch Satuday evening. It was found by Mr. Fred Thayer and promptly returned to the owner.

—Walter West, aged 14 years, was run over by one of W. B. Hollis' depot teams, Tuesday, and received a bad cut on the leg. He was attended by Dr. Tinkham.

—An old gentleman residing in this village, has been sick with pneumonia for some time and has required the services of two men as watchers. Sunday night one of the watchers got "exhilarated" and it required the service of the other watcher to look after him. He imagined himself on a train of cars and kept the whole family awake all night crying out Quincy, Braintree, Weymouth and other stations. It is needless to state that he was promptly discharged the next morning.

—There will be a Union temperance meeting of the churches of Weymouth and East Braintree held at the Baptist church, Sunday evening at 7.30, to be addressed by the pastors. The service is held under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. It is expected that the children of the Loyal Legion will sing. All are urgently requested to attend.

—The Mission Band of the Baptist church will hold a mite-box opening and entertainment by the children, in the vestry of the church next Tuesday evening.

—Miss E. W. Sheppard has been honored by having one of her paintings selected for that Boston *salon*, the exhibition of the Boston Art Club.

—Miss Mary Cumming, the domestic of Mrs. Glover, died last Monday evening of pneumonia. She was an estimable and faithful woman. The funeral service was held on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Oliver Huckel of Union church, officiating, and Judge French and a number of friends being present. Interment at the Village Cemetery.

—At the Institute lecture on Wednesday night, some smart (?) boys annoyed both lecturer and audience by prolonged low whistles, uttered with an inflection of wonder upon the appearance of the pictures on the curtain. Is there any other way to make the boys in this vicinity respectful and decent, than to arrest one or two and make an example? We fear not. It would be harsh treatment for the boys, but something must be done to stop their boorishness.

—The Ladies' Cemetery Improvement Association will meet Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 2, at 2.30, with Mrs. Richmond Clapp, Front street, for work, and to make arrangements for the coming fair. A full attendance is requested.

—The finest concert of the Institute course next Friday night. The Beethoven Concert Co. and Mrs. Humphrey-Allen.

—We notice by the ad. on first page, that F. A. Sulis & Co. are catering in their business to the wants in housekeeping goods. Such enterprise in our town deserves recognition. Give them a call.

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—The eighty-first annual meeting of the Union church was held last evening in the church vestries. An excellent supper was served at 6.45. The usual business of the annual meeting was transacted, officers elected, a schedule of benevolent collections for the year arranged, and a new creed and form of admission adopted. The pastor made his annual address. Miss Alice Bailey sang several delightful selections. The whole occasion was enjoyable.

—The social and entertainment at the Universalist vestry by the Y. P. S. C. E., last evening was a great success. The amusing farce, "Done on both Sides" was finely rendered before a large audience.

—Young people's day will be celebrated in the Universalist church next Sunday. A special service has been prepared by the pastor.

—If you want the best plum brown bread in the world for to-morrow put a red "T" card in your window and have Totman's man call.

—Mr. A. P. Nash has been confined to the house nearly six weeks. Yesterday he was able to set up a portion of the day.

—Major John W. Hart has been confined to the house eight weeks, suffering with acute rheumatism.

—Mr. George Niles and wife have been under the doctor's care the past week.

—Judge Flint and father are improving after two week's illness.

—Mr. Joseph Taylor is now able to attend to his business after a short illness.

—Comrade C. N. Richards has been on the sick-list a long time. Dr. Tinkham has assured him that he will be able to take the charge of the invalid carriages on Decoration day.

—The officers elect of Arbutus Assembly, No. 18, Pythian Sisterhood, were installed by D. D. G. C., Mrs. Cushman and suite of Brockton, last Wednesday evening, as follows: P. C., Mrs. Wilmot Cleverly; C. C., Mrs. G. W. Leavitt; V. C., Mrs. E. T. Jordan; P., Mrs. H. N. Goodspeed; K. R. S., Mrs. F. A. Newell; M. at A., Miss Emily Litchfield; Asst. M. at A., Mrs. H. E. Kennerson; M. of F., Mrs. J. W. Phillips; M. of E., Mrs. Howard Poole; M. O., Mrs. F. H. Hall; I. G., Mrs. B. F. Johnson; O. G., Miss Carrie Litchfield; O., Miss Stella Clark.

The third rank will be worked by Delphi Lodge, No. 15, K. of P. next Thursday evening.

—At the parish meeting of the Union church held last Tuesday evening these officers were elected: Moderator, John J. Loud; clerk, Chas. T. Crane; assessors, A. J. Richards, F. Ambler, C. C. Webster.

—The valuable roan horse owned by Phillips & Bacon, which has been sick for the past week was killed yesterday to end its sufferings.

It is reported that Mrs. Glover, who died on Tuesday, left more than $1,000,000, the combined estate of the whole late White family. She leaves a will, which, it is hoped, will contain some public bequests.

—Miss Ida Callahan entertained a party of friends at her residence last evening and it was a most enjoyable affair, with games, singing and dancing. There were piano solos by Miss M. Nellie Hart, Mrs. James C. Jackson and Miss Mary L. Hart, recitations by Miss Eliza Hart, and character sketches by Mr. Henry Hart. An excellent collation followed. Others present were Misses Carrie L. Hart, Sadie Field, Hannah Whelan, Mary Whelan, Lizzie Coffee, Mr. Jerry F. Gearan, Mr. and Mrs. William Callahan, Mr. George Galvin, Mr. Wm. Callahan, Mr. John Ahern, Mr. Wm. Cronin, and Mr. John B. Whelan.

East Weymouth Briefs.

—D. M. Easton is taking a few weeks' vacation; will visit Geo. Fred Williams in Washington and then go to Florida where he, with others, has an interest in phosphate works.

—Walter Stoddard is so far recovered as to be on duty once more.

—Stephen Burgoyne has been substituting as organist for Miss M. Abbie Rogers during her illness.

—The entertainment for the Junior Templars next Monday night will be a pronunciation contest.

—Last Sunday, at the church of the Immaculate Conception, was one full of interest to those who attend that place of worship. At 8.30 a. m. Bishop Grady, of Boston, assisted by the home pastor, Fr. Healy, administered first communion to a number of children and celebrated mass. At 10.30 regular services were held. At 3.30 the very impressive service of confirmation was held. A large audience listened to an able and instructive address by Bishop Grady, and 150 boys and girls were confirmed by Bishop Grady assisted by Rev. Ignatius Egan of Cohasset. This service was followed by vespers led by Rev. J. J. Murphy. The home choir with Miss Butterworth as organist rendered some very fine music.

—Mrs. Geo. Murray is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Whiting.

—Representative Bicknell with the committee on prisons and reformatory institutions visited the State Reform school at Westboro, on Monday.

—Asa B. Pratt's name has been added to those who are to have increased pensions for disabilities incurred in camp and on the battle field.

—Mrs. Deborah Cowing, another of the old people of this village, crossed the "silent river" Wednesday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. A. French, aged 77 years. Mrs. Cowing was the daughter of Thomas and Rachel Cushing of Weymouth and a twin sister of Betsy, who married Otis Smith. Feb. 11, 1832, she married Joshua Bates Cowing who passed away a few years ago. Four sons and three daughters survive her. Funeral services will be held this p.m. at 1.30 at her late home, Rev. W. S. Key officiating and the remains will be interred in the village cemetery.

—In the death of Zichri A. Whitmarsh, a prominent and wealthy citizen of Abington, who died last Sunday, another name is added to the long list of sons and daughters of East Weymouth who have died within the past few months. Mr. Whitmarsh was one of eleven children of Peter Whitmarsh, and was born in the house corner of Commercial and Madison streets in the year 1815 and was consequently in the 77th year of his age at the time of his death.

—Next Monday evening the Loyal Temperance Legion will give an entertainment in Temperance Hall.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Raymond sang Tuesday evening at the anniversary of the I. O. G. Templars at Hingham and Miss Edith Burrell gave recitations and songs.

—Under the management of Mrs. Walter Curtis and Fred Loring an excellent entertainment was given in Temperance Hall, Monday night. Warren Nadell of South Weymouth rendered harmonica solos; Mr. Decota of Holbrook, banjo solos; the Rocophone band gave several very pleasing selections and the entertainment closed with the farce "Jumb Jum."

—Rev. A. A. Kidder made the people's hour at the M. E. Church Sunday night a very interesting one with his illustrated lecture using a miniature elevator in illustrating the uplifting power of the gospel.

—The reading circle held its January meeting with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Canterbury, Wednesday evening. The author discussed was Lowell and the following programme was pleasantly rendered: Life of Lowell, Miss Canterbury; "Commemoration Ode," Miss Tucker; "The Present Crisis," Miss Nettie Harlow; "A Parable," Mrs. W. M. Tirrell; "The Courtin'," Mr. A. W. Hart; "Vision of Sir Launfal," Miss Sadie Powers; analysis of "Books and Libraries" by all; questions and discussion led by Rev. Mr. Evans.

—The musical treat of the season next Friday night in the Institute course. Last night.

—"Coming events cast their shadows before," and the coming fair of the Ladies' Cemetery Association which occurs on the 9, 10, 11, and 12 of next month has already overshadowed the community with its many attractions. The people take great interest in the important work of this organization, and it has done a grand work in the past and merits a liberal patronage as it once more appeals to the public.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Roarty and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Vinal, are taking an outing, and will visit New York, Philadelphia and Washington.

—For the people's hour at the M. E. church next Sunday night, Mr. Kidder will use the phonograph to illustrate the subject on which he will speak.

—Sunday in the "white church" will be a red letter day to the Y. P. S. C. E. The day will be theirs both morning and evening. Services have been especially arranged, showing the organization and work of this society.

—Just one week from to-night is the great annual appearance of the L. P. U. in their great concert and ball. Nothing more can be said than has already been said in these columns, and is announced on the posters. This organization has secured the most able talent to be had, and has spared no pains or expense in making the arrangements for this entertainment which will be given in Reynolds hall.

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—For entertainment next Friday night the Laster's Protective Union has eclipsed all previous efforts in its arrangements. It costs high to get Mrs. Jennie Patrick Walker, Miss Gertrude Edmunds, Mr, Geo. J. Parker, Mr. G. M. Babcock and Miss Fay Davis, but when you listen you get your money back.

—Don't forget that the Tableau d'Art Company which gave such universal satisfaction in the Institute course at Weymouth, is the attraction the first night of the Cemetery Fair, Tuesday, Feb. 9.

—The evening school for the two upper classes closed last night. The two lower classes have been consolidated and will be in charge of Mr. Beal.

—The gale of Tuesday and Wednesday caught Edwin Clapp and N. W. Bates on one of the islands in the harbor, where they had gone gunning, unable to get off; having a plenty of fuel they were kept comfortable but the situation became rather monotonous before they got away.

—Geo. H. Cunningham is confined to his house with a severe attack of grip.

—The lads had a skating carnival on Dizer's pond last night, for the first time this season.

—The cemetery circle will meet next Thursday with Mrs. W. T. Rice. This will be the last meeting before the fair, and articles for the fair should be sent to Mrs. Wallace Whiton, Mrs. George Miles, Mrs. B. S. Lovell and Mrs. W. T. Rice.

—Mr. E. B. Powers of Taunton, has been visiting his brother Arthur V., who is still confined to the house.

—Mrs. George Bailey is visiting friends in Maine.

—The gray horse of John Carroll's which has for so long been a familiar sight on our streets, is no more. While being driven to the station at North Weymouth on Wednesday, he met with an accident, throwing him down and breaking his ankle. Capt. Garey was called to put him out of his misery by shooting.

—John A. Raymond has been appointed notary public, and recognized by the department of the interior as qualified to do business with it.

Weymouth Heights.

—The ladies' missionary meeting was held with Miss Margaret Bates on Wednesday afternoon.

—Miss Paine of New London, Conn. is visiting Mrs. James Jones.

—Rev. Mr. Blanchard and family have removed to their new home at Maynard, Mass.

—On Monday evening, the Y. P. S. C. E. held a consecration meeting in the chapel. It was also a meeting for the election of officers. President, Mr. Jas. Wildes; vice-president, Rufus Bates; secretary, Miss Hattie Dow; treasurer, Miss Minnie Hunt.

—Mr. McCloud has rented the Otis Nash house.

—Mr. Emerson Hunt, who is a student at the Bangor Theological Seminary, is home for his mid-year vacation.

—Rev. Mr. Kendall is gradually recovering from his long illness.

—Mr. Roswell Pratt is ill with pneumonia.

Nash's Corner.

—The mild weather last week incited the boys in this part of the village to play marbles considerably earlier than usual, but since the cold wave, such sports have been postponed for awhile.

—Mrs. W. J. Leigh of Hingham is stopping with her father, Mr. Reuben Loud at present.

—Miss Emily V. White is teaching at the Girl's High school, Boston, this week.

—Mrs. E. P. Sprague of Marshfield is now in this town on a visit at her son, Mr. Marshall P. Sprague.

—Tuesday evening, this place was the scene of a merry gathering of boys and girls; the occasion was a surprise party at Miss Belle White's.

—Miss Dora Gardner will occupy the pulpit at the Mission chapel, Sunday. Her services here have always been interesting and helpful to her audiences, and she will always be a welcome visitor at this place.

A Summer in Venice.

A series of water colors by F. Hopkinson Smith of New York is on exhibition at the gallery of Doll & Richards, 2 Park St. Boston. It commences to-day and closes Feb. 10. Lovers of the art should endeavor to call and enjoy this fine collection.

Read the Last Page.

A gentleman said recently, "I never read only the inside of the Gazette, the editorials and briefs." This man loses one half the paper as some of the best news and miscellaneous reading is always on the outside. This week, on the last page, will be found an historical essay by Rev. Oliver Huckel, Willard's Washington letter, Beyond Town Limits, The Junior Templars' Promenade, etc. Read it all.

Miss Center will be away from the North High school two weeks and Miss Mabel Woodworth from the Boston University will substitute.

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The Weymouth Agricultural and Industrial Society sincerely sharing in the sorrow caused by the lamented death of the late John G. Hutchins, desire to give public expression to its estimate of his worth and its sense of loss

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THE GOOD OLD DAYS.

A Brief Study of Old-Time Weymouth and Braintree.

I have been intensely interested for some time past in studying the history of these two New England towns, Weymouth and Braintree. They are quite representative towns, and their spirit and deeds have been suggestive of the spirit and deeds of all New England.

I believe that it is salutary at times to look backward as well as forward, both for the encouragement and the stimulation of contrast. It gives us greater respect for the days that are gone and a greater feeling of privilege and responsibility in the days that now are.

The facts and hints that will be used in this study are chiefly from two books that perhaps most of you know, Gilbert Nash's History of Weymouth issued some years ago and Charles Francis Adams' History of Old Braintree,—a volume just from the press.

I wish that we had time to sketch the social life of those old days. It is given quite in detail in these books. But we cannot at this time. Let us look however at the types of men and women that those old days produced.

There were perhaps three classes of the people—classes that we might call the colonial gentry, the colonial yeomanry or farmers, and the colonial artisans.

Such a man as Col. John Quincy of Braintree was an excellent representative of the first class, the colonial gentry. He lived from 1689, onward some seventy years.

Look at an outline of his life. He was a Harvard graduate. He married Miss Norton, daughter of the third pastor of Hingham church. He was colonel of the militia, representative to the General Court, Speaker of the House, member of the Council, negotiate of Indian treaties, a magistrate for years and years, moderator of every town-meeting, leading man in the parish, "noted for a strict observance of the Lord's day and a constant attendance upon the public ordinances of religion." In a word, he was a representative and leading man and filled almost every public office to which a native born New Englander could aspire in the colonial days.

He was a typical man of a typical Massachusetts town.

"He represented," as the historian says, "perhaps more completely than any other member, even of the remarkable family of the Quincys, a political and social element in New England life which has since almost disappeared. He belonged to the class which in England produced John Hampden,—one of the educated country gentlemen, the owners of the broad acres in which they dwelt. Following no profession but giving up to Parliament year after year, they were the loyal ingrained representatives of the communities of which they were a part. Of these men Washington was a Virginia offshoot. He represented them in their highest place of development under Southern surroundings,—plain, true, straight-forward, self-respecting, gifted with that perfectly-balanced common-sense which in its way is one sort of genius. Favorable circumstances, always availed of, brought Washington to the front, and have made of him one of America's great ones. Yet in America, at that time, as in the Stoke-Pogis churchyard, there were doubtless many men who contained within themselves the possibilities of a Hampden, a Milton or a Cromwell. John Quincy, throughout a long life lived in the land, was a good specimen of the sturdy, common-sensed, high-toned class of English gentlemen in the shape New England reproduced them in colonial days. What under other circumstances he might have proved, it would be idle to surmise. Born and dying a colonist in a small provincial community thickly crusted over with theology, he, and those of his time, had scant room for development. The stage was small, and its atmosphere was icy in those early days."

The second class, the farmers or yeomanry, were an influential factor in colonial life.

Perhaps as good a representative of this class as can be found is the elder John Adams of Braintree. He was a typical New England yeoman. He lived on his farm through which ran the main street of the town. He illustrates "the sturdy, unostentatious demeanor of those who filled the minor places of usefulness" in early New England. For nearly forty years his name regularly appears in the records of the town. He passed through all its grades of office, being tithingman, constable, ensign in the militia, nine times selectman, and for many years a deacon in the church. When he died, it was written of him that he was "a man of strict piety and great integrity; much esteemed and beloved wherever he was known."

The younger John Adams, afterwards president, once said that could he "ever suppose that family pride was in any way excusable, he should think a descent from a line of virtuous, independent New England farmers for a hundred and sixty years was a better foundation for it than a descent through royal or noble scoundrels ever since the flood." The "virtuous, independent New England farmers" were to the full as important a social and political element in colonial days as the gentry. They represented the free yeomanry of England under the new conditions, as the gentry represented the landlords.

The third class of colonial men, the artisans, are well represented by such a man as John Marshall of Braintree.

His regular trade was that of a mason. But at times he made laths, painted houses, did carpenter work and burned brick.

His name is frequently in the town records. He was at times constable, tithingman, surveyor of highways; and precinct and church treasurer.

He kept a little memorandum book in which he jotted down items of interest. These jottings give curious glimpses of the life of one hundred and fifty years ago. I have not time to quote many of them here, but let me give this single personal bit as showing the man.

"This is written," he writes, "October 1st in the evening, and tomorrow is my birthday. I am now forty years old, and cannot but be ashamed to look back, and consider how I spent my lost time; being at a great loss whether any true grace be wrought in my soul or no: corruption in me is very powerful; grace if any is weak and languid. I have reason to pray, as the spouse, Awake, O north wind, and come, thou south wind, and blow upon my garden; to stir up myself to take hold of God, to engage my cry to the Lord and my whole man in his service, which the Lord enable me to do." These were the ordinary thoughts of a colonial artisan of those days.

As a representative woman of the period we might mention Miss Abigail Smith of Weymouth, the daughter of Parson Smith. She was one worthy to become, as she did, the wife of one president of the United States, and the mother of another, both of them however Braintree men.

Even these brief hints of the men and women of those days are suggestive.

They tell us that there were great men and noble women in the old days of New England. The record is one that cannot be looked back upon without pride and admiration.

As we look back however we may well ask ourselves, What made these men and women great and noble?

And it seems to me that the answer is a three-fold one. Perhaps this incident may suggest it.

When John Adams was a minister at the English court, a Virginian, Major Langbourne, one day asked him the reason for the difference of character between Virginia and New England. John Adams says: "I offered him a receipt for making a New England in Virginia. I recommended to him town-meetings, training-days, town schools and ministers, giving him a short explanation of each article. The meeting-house and school-house and training-field are the scenes where New England men are formed . . . The virtues and talents of the people are there formed; their temperance, patience, fortitude, prudence and justice; as well as their sagacity, knowledge, judgment, taste, skill, ingenuity, dexterity and industry."

This is a good generalization. Let us study a moment these three chief factors in the making of the early New England life and character.

First of all, the New England character owes much to the school-house.

The New Englander believed in the spelling-book almost as devoutly as the Bible. Indeed the Bible was often used as the spelling-book. And the New England Primer and the Rev. John Cotton's Spiritual Milk for American Babes, two standard primary works for six generations in the old days, were little except diluted Bible.

The old New Englander believed in schools, schools and colleges. Harvard college is the earliest established college in this country and the Massachusetts school-system has been the model for the whole United States.

In the second place, the New England character owes much to the town-meeting.

The town-meeting is an institution almost peculiar to New England in this country. There is scarcely such a thing in the Middle, Southern or Western States with perhaps one or two exceptions.

It is an excellent institution, especially serviceable in the early days, but serviceable even yet,—an institution of the people—a local government, of the people by the people for the people.

The English historian, Green, says that for old England "the town-meeting was the groundwork of English history. It was here that England learned to be a 'mother of Parliaments'." The town-meeting has also done much for New England. It has been the earliest training-school for many of the ablest public men and statesmen.

And, in the third and most important place, the New England character owes much to the meeting-house.

Once, in Amsterdam, John Adams defined the New England man as a "meeting-going animal." He said that he himself had been a church-going animal for seventy-six years, from the cradle; and his memory went back to the time when the oldest men sat on the fore-seats, for, he wrote "I shall never forget the rows of venerable heads ranged along those front benches which, as a young fellow, I used to gaze upon."

The peculiar union of church and state which used to exist in New England, still hinted at in our church and parish system, has always been a matter of exceeding interest to me,—perhaps more interesting because I come from a section of our land where such a thing never existed.

It was from the earliest times until about 1692 (when the charter of William and Mary went into operation) the law that no man could become a freeman, a voter, in a Massachusetts town unless he was a church member. The church dominated the town,—the town business was carried on through the church organization. The meeting-house was also the town-house, and was also used as the town-magazine for the storage of gunpowder. It was in 1752, as history relates, that the meeting-house of Parson Smith in Weymouth, near the site of the present Old North Church caught fire and three barrels of town powder stored in the belfry exploded with a terrific noise.

The church in the early days was not only interesting in its organization, but also in its customs.

May I merely hint at some of these customs of the early days. The pulpit was exceedingly high, the minister severe, the sermon long. The deacons were ranged in a row under the pulpit. The family pews were placed like high boxes around the walls, merely around the walls. The centre space was filled with benches, where the men sat on one side and the women on the other. The psalm in the earliest days was lined out and sung; later there was a choir in the gallery, assisted by an assemblage of stringed and wind instruments.

The church was the body to which all cases of morals were referred, and it was the frequent occurrence for members guilty of any crime to make public confession before the whole congregation and be admonished, disciplined or forgiven.

The boys sat in a certain place in the gallery. A tithing-man sat at each door of the meeting-house to keep the dogs out and one sat in the gallery to keep the boys in. There was a morning service and an afternoon service. The sermons often had seventeen divisions, were an hour and a half long and sometimes, as there is record, the prayers were an hour long.

And yet everybody was there. New England was a church-going community.

"For generations," writes the careful historian, "all those dwelling in the town, of both sexes and of every age,—on foot, in carriage, wagon or chair, or on horseback,—as regularly as the Sabbath dawned, gathered toward the plain wooden structure called the meeting-house."

This is a hint of the church and church-going in the old days, and who can estimate the worth of such church influence in the growth of the sturdiness and integrity of New England character.

These three factors that have been mentioned were potent in moulding New England character, and making the influence of New England so strong and valuable in the upbuilding of this Republic.

I do not say that these old days were better than the present.

There is a sentence in Ecclesiastes which rebukes us, "Say not thou, What is the cause that the former days are better than these? for thou dost not inquire wisely concerning this." (vii: 10.)

But I say that *these* days ought to be far in advance of the old days. They will be, if the present generation of New Englanders is true to the things that moulded greatness in the fathers.

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For the Gazette.

Washington Letter.

WASHINGTON, Jan., 25, 1891.

Tom Reed sits in the House just as he used to sit in the Speaker's chair, like a sphynx, and the Democrats whom he takes infinite delight in exasperating, have dubbed him the "Cyclone" of the House. The name is very appropriate inasmuch as Tom always raises the breeziest sort of a breeze every time that he rises to his ponderous proportions and snaps the ears of his Democratic haters just as the old-time school teacher used to tingle the auriculars of mischievous school urchins. The comparatively few Republican leaders on the House floor are leaders indeed, and there seems to be little danger to be apprehended by the public from any mischief that the majority can perpetrate, large as it is.

THAT BILIOUS BILLION.

The thing that particularly obstructs the Democratic œsophagus is the billion dollar Congress, a discussion of which comes up on every conceivable occasion and adapts itself to every conceivable measure proposed. Mr. Dockery, who comes from Missouri and free school books, in a speech the other day declared that the available surplus in the Treasury is now only $20,465,149, and that the current expenditures of the country exceeded the current revenues. It is assertions like these that comprise the stock in trade of the wilfully ignorant who must give vent to their spleen by airing their distressful lack of current information, but Mr. Henderson of Iowa, who is always armed and equipped as the law directs when hostilities commence with the Democratic forlorn hope, took the floor and proceeded to read from the official treasury statement that the available funds in the treasury amounted to $162,387,599.12, or a trifle of one hundred and forty millions of dollars more than Mr. Dockery's estimate! Mr. Henderson also read the letter of the Acting Secretary of the Treasury, showing that for the last six months the excess of receipts over expenditures was more than seven millions of dollars. It was the further delight of Mr. Henderson to torture these Democratic grumblers and billion dollar fault-finders, by showing that during three years of this abominably extravagant administration, no less than two hundred and sixty million dollars of the bonded interest-bearing indebtedness of the country had been paid off, and the miserable surplus that had been such a bugaboo to the great economists of the Democratic party had been put in circulation among the people of the country instead of being hoarded up in pet banks as it was done under the administration of Mr. Cleveland. He further told those Democratic alarmists that on June 30, 1891, the close of the fiscal year, the country had a surplus of receipts over expenditures of $37,250,000 which was added to other funds to pay off $134,946,735.48, which sum was placed in the hands of the people for general circulation.

A BILLION COUNTRY.

I was well said by Secretary Foster in reply to some strictures made upon the 51st Congress and its billion of appropriations, "this is a billion country." Indeed it is a billion country, and dull must be the intelligence that supposes that our budget of appropriations for the enormous needs of our people in the shape of public improvements is to be restricted to the amounts appropriated twenty or even ten years ago. We have nearly seventy thousand postoffices now against fifty thousand then, and some of these postoffices are in towns and cities that had not even the semblance of an existence ten years ago. The needs of these rapidly growing cities for the facilities for transacting the public business are both great and pressing, and the many millions of dollars that were appropriated by the last Congress were voted for by Democrats and upon bills introduced by Democrats and for which the Democrats are to be held just as responsible as Republicans. If the present Congress vote the appropriations that the people are demanding for placing the country upon a proper war footing, and providing for our new navy, our coast defences, and the necessity of increasing our military strength, the present Congress will be more than another Billion Congress, for bills covering nearly half that amount have already been introduced providing for these contingencies, and the Democratic majority dare not ignore them.

QUAY CONQUERED.

The presumption that private character may be assailed and the reputation of a private citizen be destroyed by the privileges accorded to the press in the discussion of politics, will have a formidable setback in the verdict against a newspaper recently returned in favor of Mr. Quay. A fine of $1,000 for criminal libel administered in a few cases will have a healthy tendency to check the indiscriminate newspaper attacks upon a man who happens to occupy a prominent place in the public mind. It will be remembered that the same Senator Quay was charged by the public press two years ago with the appropriation to his own use of some three hundred thousands of funds belonging to the State Treasury of Pennsylvania. Although Mr. Quay upon the floor of the Senate formally denied the charge and denounced the authors of it, the Democratic press all over the country kept it up until it became too stale and absurd for repetition. The verdict in his favor in the present case is a triumphant vindication of his character and places the stamp of unequivocal falsehood upon the other charges that never had a particle of foundation.

TRAINING SERVANTS.

Next to the impudence of the average Washington servant is her ignorance of the simplest affairs of the household, and so as a matter of self-protection Washington is about to inaugurate a school for training servants not only in the arts of cookery, but those of general house-keeping including sewing, washing, ironing, etc., together with a sort of disciplinary training in morals which will impart confidence enough in the servant to permit the lady of the house to go out calling unhampered by the worriment over lost jewelry and a generally ransacked house. A good situation is promised to each graduate of the school, and the members of the first-class that so graduates have already been applied for by the servant-ridden people of Washington's 400. The result of the operation of this school will be watched with keenest interest by housewives all over the land, inasmuch as the difficulty of securing good, capable and trusty servants is one that has confronted us ever since the business of hiring servants began.

CHICAGO GOT IT.

There was not a little scramble before the Democratic Executive Committee between several western cities to get the next Democratic National Convention. Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Milwaukee fought hard for the honor, but the Windy City by the lake without even asking for it, was selected by the committee in spite of all the praise-worthy things said in behalf of the cities named. Well, Chicago is an appropriate place for the holding of such a committee as the Democrats will hold this year, for being well supplied with military, the anticipated stormy scenes that will ensue in the contests over the many candidates, will require the interference of more than the ordinary police force.

MILLS MAD.

In the result of the contest over the Speakership we have settled down to the conclusion that the Presidential contest was settled also. Mr. Mills was quite right when he said that he alone did not go down in that fight, for his own personal discomfiture was insignificant. What it meant to this country was quite another thing. Mills has retired to his cave of gloom, saying that the Democrats of the country prefer to march under a banner that has something or other upon it to battle for, and not with a party that does not know whether it is for tariff reform or against it, and which beats all around the bush upon the money question generally. An intelligent gentleman who belongs to the party said to me that if the Democrats gain a little more courage before the session ends and prove their professions in favor of tariff reform to be sincere, they may possibly hold their own in the next Congress with a majority of five or ten. But by dodging, they will meet with the same kind of a cyclone as that which overcame the Republicans in 1890.

WILLARD.

Beyond Town Limits.

—The oldest voter in Whitman, Robert Clark, died on Sunday last. For 71 years he has voted at every spring and fall election for town and state officers.

—Fifty years ago Hingham appropriated $5,000 for all town expenses, schools, poor, etc.

—The total number of cases of shoes shipped in Brockton during 1891 was 435,798, a falling off of 33,809 as compared with 1890, which was a "boom" year. It was on the whole a very good year, notwithstanding the prevailing depression in the shoe business. Campello shipped 167,946 cases, and Montello 54,529. The manufacturers generally believe that 1892 will be a prosperous year for the shoe trade.

—Mrs. Sarah E. Howe, the projector and manager of the famous "Woman's Bank"—one of the most curious cases of swindling ever known—lately died in extreme want.

—The event of last week in Boston was the dedication of the new Chamber of Commerce building.

—The Quincy Advertiser is talking up the need of a hall in Quincy, and proposes the formation of a stock company to erect a building with stores and hall.

—A gentleman who enjoys exceptionally good advantages for estimating in the case, tells us that the swindling endowment orders probably took not less than $150,000 out of the pockets of the people of Marlborough, during the last year, that will never come back. And this is one very good reason why the easier times are so long in getting back, and why our traders are still complaining of the scarcity of cash.—Marlboro' Times. The amount taken from Weymouth is not known but is surely more than our citizens can afford to lose.

—In Braintree they have a private electric company, and the total cost for a 16-candle power lamp for the whole year is only about $2. This covers all the hours one would naturally want a light.—Middleboro News. These gentlemen had the power plant, which is used also for business. That is the secret of the cheapness. It is not to be supposed that electricity can usually be furnished at these rates.

—A Yorkshire vicar once received the following notice regarding a marriage from a parish house: "This is to give you notis that I and Miss Jemina Arabella Brearly is comin' to your church on Saturday afternoon nex, to undergo the operation of matrimony at your hands. Please be promp, as the cab is hired by the hour."

—From the annual report of Charles H. Smith, treasurer of Norfolk County, it is learned that the total receipts have been $256,385, total expenditures $236,211, balance in treasury Jan. 1, 1892, $20,173. The county is out of debt, and its property is valued at $377,800.

Nationalistic Doctrine from one of Abraham Lincoln's Letters.

"Yes, we may congratulate ourselves that this cruel war is nearing a close. It has cost a vast amount of treasure and blood. The best blood of the flower of American youth has been freely offered upon our country's altar that the nation might live. It has been indeed a trying hour for the republic; but I see in the near future a crisis arising that unnerves me and causes me to tremble for the safety of my country. As a result of the war, corporations have been enthroned, and an era of corruption in high places will follow, and the money power will continue its sway by appealing to the prejudices of the people, until all wealth is aggregated in a few hands, and the republic destroyed. I feel more anxiety for the safety of my country than ever before, even in the midst of the war. God grant that my fears may prove groundless."

The above was written by Abraham Lincoln in 1865 in a private letter to Hon. W. R. Ellis, a native of Indiana, at that time, we believe, living in Illinois. Does Mr. Ingalls deny that this prophecy is being rapidly fulfilled?—New Nation.

The Junior Templars Promenade.

A more enjoyable affair seldom occurs than the select basket party and promenade concert of the Junior Temple of Honor on Monday night. While "select," the party was as large as could comfortably be cared for in the hall, and the management was the best that could have been arranged. The programme of entertainment was by the East Weymouth Orchestra, and Master Thomas Murphy the juvenile xylophone soloist. The following selections were given: Overture, "Morning, noon and night;" piano solo, A. M. Raymond; xylophone solo, Thomas Murphy; violin solo, C. F. Tirrell; waltz, "La Serenato;" xylophone solo, T. Murphy; galop, "Sparks of wit." The concert was followed by a grand march, led by Mr. Walter Tirrell and Miss Lizzie Burgoyne. Next came the novelty of the evening; each lady in response to the invitation had brought a basket which contained a lunch. These baskets to the number of about sixty, were very artistic in design and arrangement, a prize having been offered for the best arranged one. The committee appointed to award the prize was selected from a delegation of Melrose visitors, and after much deliberation, awarded to Miss Bertina Boodrue the honor of having brought the most tasty basket. A sale of the baskets followed the award, and a very spirited bidding went on until the last basket was sold, prices ranging from 25 cents to $2.50. Each purchaser found in the basket which he had bought, the name of the donor and the young lady whom he was to take to the hall above to share with him the lunch, as well as ice cream, coffee, etc.

The management are to be congratulated on having made a first-class success, both socially and financially. Following is a list of the young ladies who graced the occasion with their presence and contributed baskets of edibles and flowers: Florence Bates, Bertha Barker, Laura L. Belk, Bertina Boodrue, Georgianna Bowles, Evelyn L. Burrell, Fannie W. Burrell, L. E. Burgoyne, Lilla Buzzell, Marion L. Cain, Nellie Cushing, Fannie B. Dunbar, Sadie E. Ford, Clara E. Gardner, Florence Garey, Nella R. Hayden, Mamie Hayes, Agnes C. Kilburn, Elsie Litchfield, Lillian Loud, Mary Loring, Etta Orr, Daisy Pratt, Grace L. Pratt, Emily Randall, Lottie Randall, Lucy A. Raymond, Emma J. Rea, Miss Rich, Effie M. Ryerson, Bessie M. Sherman, Eveline Sherman, Edith Shurtleff, Edith T. Sloan, Dora Smith, Julia A. Sylvester, Rose Thayer, Hattie Thayer, Nettie Tirrell, Josie Tirrell, Clara Tirrell, Mary T. Tirrell, Clara Wing.

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This is to be the annual meeting for the election of officers. The subject proposed for discussion is "Topics for Town Meeting."

A full attendance is desired. Members will be notified by postal from the secretary of the exact time, place, and subject of the meeting. They should immediately notify him if they intend to be present.

All Papers do the Same

People should not expect too much free from the papers. Cards of thanks are not considered news items, and there is therefore a charge for the same. The same is true of advance notices of entertainments where there is an admission fee. They can be inserted in the news columns, however, if paid for.—Quincy Patriot. tf

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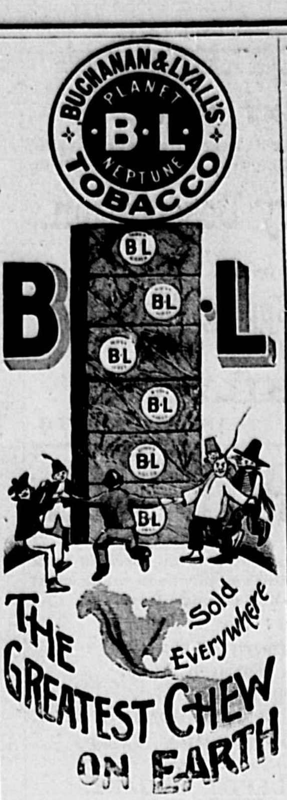

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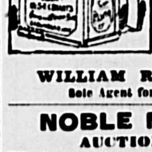

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Sec. 48. When a physician knows that any person whom he is called to visit is afflicted with . . . any disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the . . . Board of Health of the town, and if he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forgeit for each offence a sum not less than $50, or more than $100.

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